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FOREWORD

In order to leave behind us a remembrance of our stay at our Alma Mater, the Class of 1947 presents this book. We also send our best wishes for success to schoolmates and friends.

DEDICATION

To our class adviser,

Mr. Lloyd L. Stavely,

we the Class of 1947,

respectfully dedicate

this book.

Thank you, Mr. Stavely.

ALMA MATER

All Hail, Alma Mater!

Thy sons cheer thee now,

To thee, Littlestown High School,

All rivals must bow;

Victorious forever, thy colors dear must be

Forever, forever

They'll wave in victory!

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Now that you are leaving your Alma Mater the world gives "one clear call." May you answer without a moaning and be faithful to the trust your school has placed in you.

All your teachers share this wish and bid you success.

(Signed) Paul E. King, Principal.

Seated (left to right)—*A. Wingert, J. Mellott, R. Martin, M. Berger, E. Miller, B. Walker*; standing (left to right)—*C. Evans, P. Harner, L. Stavely, P. King, R. Spencer, D. Stover.*

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Seated (left to right)—*H. Klinefelter, S. Spangler, J. Rebert*; standing—*A. Feeser, R. Scholl, S. Mackley, M. Bankert.*

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Robert Scholl - - - - *Sports' Editor*

Arveta Feeser - - - - *Photographic Editor*

1947 CLASS HISTORY

As We Were In '43

In the fall of 1943 a new group of students-to-be, entered the halls and classrooms of L. H. S. to be instructed and seasoned in different fields of study. The group was to become the class of '47 and numbered sixty-seven. At first all were a little shy but overcame this as time went by. Many of the boys and girls participated in basketball and baseball with several playing on the varsity squad. During this year, one of the group, Paul Palmer, left the class and joined the Navy. The big event of the year was the movie and picnic near the close of school.

On one frisky September morning our class entered its sophomore year slightly smaller, but large enough to initiate the incoming freshmen. The work was harder but each one was determined to make the grade. Many engaged in the extra-curricular activities and starred in such things as the high school play, operetta, baseball, and basketball. The picnic highlighted the events of the year.

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When the third year began, school opened with a "bang" for all the students. The members of the class studied and worked hard in order to uphold the title of "Juniors." In the fall of this year class rings were selected and all anxiously awaited their arrival. Many members of the class engaged in the sports and extra-curricular activities about the school. In March of this year the juniors and seniors attended a Career Conference at Gettysburg College. The most important event was on May 3 when the juniors held the annual Prom with the seniors as guests. The last event of the year was the picnic held in St. John's woods.

In the fall of 1946, when the senior year started our number had dwindled to forty-six happy, anxious students and we realized that our high school days were nearly over. One of the main happenings of this school term was the Senior Play "Bogeyman" which was attended by a capacity audience. Again this year the seniors and juniors attended a Career Conference at Gettysburg. The highlights of the final year were the Prom, at which all enjoyed themselves immensely, and the trip to Washington where each and every senior had a wonderful time. The trip lasted two days and consisted of visits to the White House, Smithsonian Institute and sight-seeing excursions around the city.

In closing this history the members of the class of '47 wish to extend their gratitude to the members of the faculty for the help received from them, and the interest they have taken in all our endeavors and to the student body for their wonderful cooperation. And so we bid all farewell.

Charles Hall, Historian.

SENIOR CLASS OFFICERS

Robert Scholl - - - - -	*President*
LeRoy Harner - - - -	*Vice President*
Oneida Snyder - - - - -	*Secretary*
Ruth Myers - - - - -	*Treasurer*
Charles Hall - - - - -	*Historian*
Mary Kay Crouse - - -	*Class Representative*

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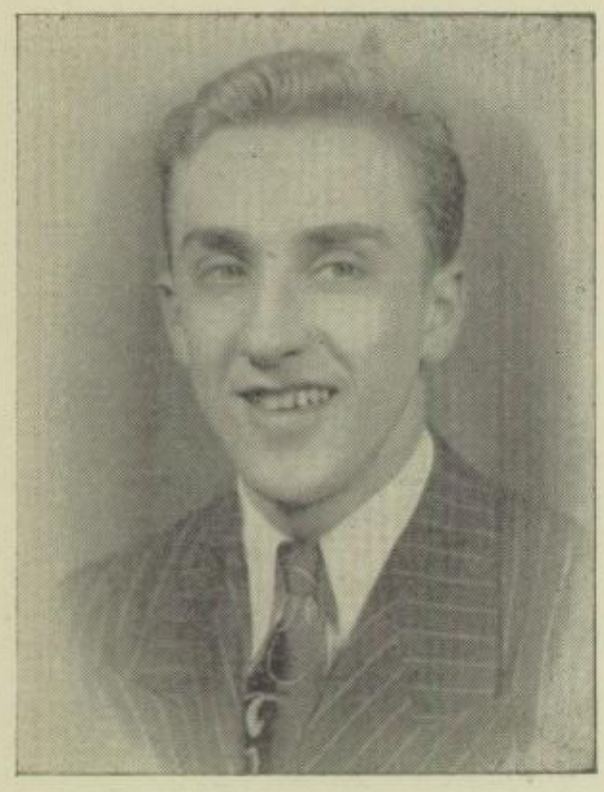


"Lee" LEROY S. HARNER **Industrial Arts**

Gettysburg, Pa.

R. D. 5

Senior Play 4; Camera Club 4; Airplane Club 2; Class Vice President 4.

When we returned to school in September a new face greeted us—one which we have come to know as likeable and friendly with a way of teasing and pulling "fast ones" on unsuspecting victims. It was LeRoy, the first of our two G. I's. He is a Navy veteran having entered the service May 4, 1944 and served in the Pacific, Atlantic and Carribbean on patrol craft, also on a submarine chaser. Lee was discharged in May 1946. Quite studious, he has done his work with great pride and always had it finished at the required time. He surprised all by his skill in spelling in English class for he simply couldn't be stumped by the hardest words. We know that he will prosper in any field he chooses and it is our hope that he gets as much pleasure from life as he has from his school days.

"Davey" DAVID C. REINAMAN **General**

Littlestown, Pa.

R. D. 1

Art Club 1, 2; Glee Club 2, 3.

At the beginning of the second semester there was quite a rumpus in the gossip corner when the new, good-looking blonde boy left many swooning. After serving four years in the Navy Davey returned to finish his schooling. He sailed on four different ships, landed on six of the world's continents and undoubtedly can tell many stories of the things he has seen doing his duty as a radioman. David is a whiz in English and takes to Trig as a duck to water and plans to go to college after graduation. We believe that he will succeed in whatever he plans to do. Good luck, "Davey".

"*Al*" ALBERT J. BAIR **Academic**
326 S. Queen Street
Littlestown, Pa.

Basketball Manager 4; Basketball 1, 2, 3; Baseball 1, 2, 3; Soccer (Captain) 4; Band 1, 2, 3, 4; Class Officer (President) 1; Athletic Association (Executive Council) 4; Baseball Manager 4; Operetta 1, 2, 3, 4; Student Body President 4; District Band 3, 4; County Band 2, 3, 4; County Chorus 2, 3, 4; Glee Club 2, 3, 4; Senior Play 4; High School Play 2, 3; Typing Club 4; Atlas Club 3; Dramatic Club 2; High School quartette, 1, 2, 3, 4.

"Al" is well known to everybody around L. H. S. either as the student body president or a real friend. Perhaps, if you haven't seen him talking with "his boys" (jayvees which he coached), you heard him play his old "beat up" baritone in the school band. Could be, you saw him crooning in one of the operettas to a fair damsal. We'll never forget his stellar performance as center forward of the county's champion soccer team which he captained to many a victory. His future is undecided though he has expressed his desire to be a coach. Whatever field he chooses, we'll say, so long and nice going "Al."

"*Marion*" MARION V. BANKERT **Academic**
47 Prince Street
Littlestown, Pa.

Typing Club 3; Operetta 1, 2, 3, 4; Glee Club 2, 3, 4; County Chorus 2, 3, 4; Librarian 4; Basketball 1, 2, 3, 4; Softball 3; Volleyball 3; Class Officer 2; Monogram Club 3; Athletic Association 4; Senior Play 4; High School Play 1, 3; Journalism 1, 2, 3, 4; The Littonian 4.

"Hey are you going up street?" That's Marion's favorite cry at lunch time when her fellow "lunch-eaters" find a way up street. Her melodious voice clearly rang out not only the above words but also has been a main feature of the glee club, choruses, and operettas. With this musical talent Marion also possesses dramatic ability which she hopes to make her career. In basketball she was a "killer" for blocking those balls and likewise in softball when holding the catcher's mitt. This attractive, friendly blackhead also kept the school informed with the latest gossip in Echo Chatter as well as "Al" on what she was going to do Saturday night. All kidding aside, "if she sings and smiles all the while," we predict her dreams will come true.

"*Jeannie*" JEANNE V. BAUGHMAN **Commercial**
223 N. Queen Street
Littlestown, Pa.

Shop Club 3; Camera Club 4; Operetta 1; Athletic Association 4.

We saw her at Barlow with the Hankey girls or was it at Eichelberger Hi watching their star "Goby" on the basketball court? Wherever it was we could tell by her twinkling dimples and flash of golden blonde hair that Jeannie was having a good time. This green eyed lassie ,who takes life in its stride by laughing off the struggles and problems that she comes up against has done O. K. in her school life. After graduation she wants to "koil" hair and give the women "de woiks." With her commercial training her books will never be jumbled up (we hope) and success is bound to come her way.

"*Con*" DORIS M. CONOVER **Commercial**
533 E. King Street
Littlestown, Pa.

Band 2, 3, 4; Glee Club 2, 3, 4; Operetta 3, 4; Collectors' Club 3; Library Club 4; County Band 3, 4; Athletic Association 4.

Who is that girl we see hurrying down the hall? Why, of course, it's Mr. King's secretary. Doris is an industrious student who doesn't say much outside of class but knows the answers in class especially the commercial subjects. She entered our class during the sophomore year. Since then she has been a faithful member of band doing a swell job playing a clarinet. She loves to attend band concerts which seems only natural since she is interested in music. The class of '47 knows Doris will carry her excellent secretarial work into the business world.

"Kay" MARY K. CROUSE **Academic**
302 N. Queen Street
Littlestown, Pa.

Band 1, 2, 3, 4; Basketball 1, 2, 3, 4; Orchestra 1, 2, 3, 4; Softball 3;4; Volleyball 3; Operetta 1, 2, 3, 4; Class Officer (representative) 2, 4; Monogram Club 3; Typing Club 3; Glee Club 2, 3, 4; County Band 2, 3, 4; Student Librarian 4; Journalism 2, 3, 4; Athletic Association 4; County Chorus 4.

"Do you know how to whisper?" If anyone happened to be in the library when "Kay" was behind the desk, they would whisper. In basketball she has really shown all how easy it is to roll up the score. When number "seven" shot it was L. H. S's own Kay sinking the ball. Her gift for "gab" was sometimes unwanted especially when it interrupted class work but all in all it was usually welcome. She is in for anything from taking an afternoon of ease to the hardest "Trig" problem and how she loves "Trig"!!! Her ambition is to become a Phys. Ed. teacher. Good luck "Kay"!

"Weezie" E. LOUISE DODRER **Commercial**
Littlestown, Pa.
R. D. 2

Glee Club 2, 3, 4; Operetta 1, 2, 3, 4; Camera Club 3, 4; County Chorus 4; Typist for The Littonian Echo 4.

Wow! look at that speed demon pounding away at that old typewriter and cracking gum to match her speed. Don't your jaws ever get tired, Dodrer? We guess she doesn't have time to become tired being one of our industrious secretaries. Although a hard working "gal," "Weezie" is always ready to join in the fun. She is a good roller skater and can be seen at Rainbow on Sunday nights skating with a tall, dark, and handsome lad. Louise's ambition is to become a private secretary to some big business executive. Here's wishing her success and happiness through the coming years in the profession she has chosen.

"Betty" ELIZABETH C. ECKENRODE **Academic**
Littlestown, Pa.
R. D. 2

Operetta 1, 2, 3, 4; Volley Ball 3; Basketball 1; Glee Club 2, 3, 4; Library Club 4; Typing Club 3.

"Are you reading another book?" Betty enjoys reading and makes very frequent trips to the library. "Bookworm" is not a suitable name for her because she has also been interested in sports throughout her high school days and was on the volley ball team last year. She was out for basketball several times but something always happened so that she couldn't continue, but she was regularly on hand for intramural contests and played a swell game. Betty has received a lot of teasing about her frequent absences from school but since she wants to become a nurse we know she'll learn to be always on the job.

"Ruthie" RUTH D. EPPLEMAN **Commercial**
106 W. King Street
Littlestown, Pa.

Camera Club 4; Glee Club 2, 3, 4; Operetta 1; Library Club 3.

Tall and slim, Ruthie towers above the rest of us but is very down to earth in desires and ways. School hours found her busy in the Commercial Room typing papers for Miss Martin. After Maple Avenue rush was over at 3:30, Ruth headed for the Windsor and made that Packing Room buzz with activity. The name "Tom" seems to rate high on her date book and in the evenings we find Ruthie at Taneytown or Union Mills dancing. Her real desire after graduation is to become a housewife and it doesn't look like the fulfillment of this is too far away. We wish her every happiness in her future life.

"Ever" DORIS M. EVERHART **Commercial**
110 Boyer Street
Littlestown, Pa.

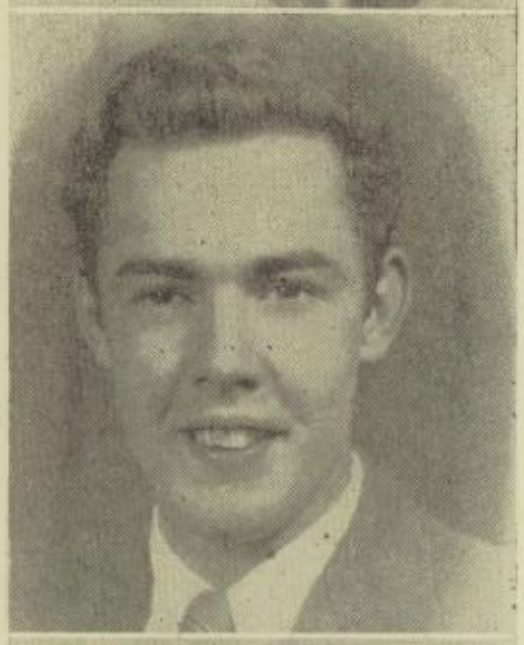
Basketball 1, 2; Camera Club 4; Twirling Club 3; Operetta 1; Athletic Association 4.

What on earth was that sound coming from the Senior English Class? Well, we've found out it was just "Giggles" and her pals raising a racket when Mrs. Wingert left the room. Yes, Doris was well known for giggling in English and reading a book in P. O. D., but she can work too, and perhaps you've seen her fingers flying over those typewriter keys. After school she hurried to the Windsor and what did she do with all her money? About three nights out of the week Doris can be seen at the movies, after which she enjoys eating banana splits and plenty of chocolate candy which agrees with her any time of day. Doris, after experimenting with factory and commercial work, wants to become a secretary. Good luck.

"Feeser" ARVETA R. FEESER **Commercial**
Littlestown, Pa.
R. D. 2

Basketball 3, 4; Operetta 1, 2, 3, 4; Softball 3; Volleyball 3; Camera Club 3, 4; County Chorus 2, 3, 4; Glee Club 2, 3, 4; Littonian Staff 4.

Who's that blonde in that '36 Plymouth? It's none other than "Feeser" parking with only a few seconds to cross the threshold of 101 before the bell rings. She is well liked by everyone and always ready for having fun especially after basketball games (a regular patron of Haines!) Arveta was a very active member of the Glee Club and takes much interest in athletics. Although she was enrolled in the Commercial Course her greatest desire is to become a clothing designer. Here's hoping she attains her ambition.



"Charlie" CHARLES L. HALL **Academic**
90 N. Queen Street
Littlestown, Pa.

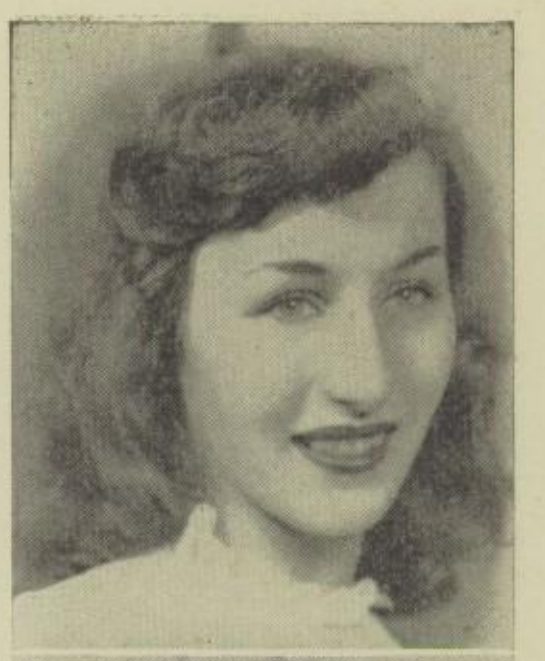
Senior Play 4; High School Play 4; Operetta 1, 2, 3, 4; Basketball 1; Baseball 2,4; Band 4; Glee Club 2,3,4; Camera Club 4; Collectors' Club 4; Dramatic Club 2; Soccer 4; Senior Fire Patrol 4; County Chorus 4; Class Historian 1, 2, 3, 4; Athletic Association 4.

Hey Charlie what's the answer to this Trig problem? How do you do our Physics, Jack? Yes, you guessed it, Hall's one of the scientific whizzes of the senior class. His fame (?) has spread so far and wide that he was one of the seniors chosen to take the Pepsi-Cola Scholarship Test. These are not the only things that have made him an outstanding class mate. How 'bout "Bogeyman" that blackman who stole your heart away? Furthermore, when that boy works he really puts "his nose to the grind." The band members and soccer team can vouch for Charlie having playep the cymbals so hard they broke and having been the seniors' outstanding scorer. We feel assured that he will carry this talent into his chosen ambition, civil engineering, and make his goal. Best wishes!

"Essie" ESTHER B. HANKEY **Commercial**
Littlestown, Pa.
R. D. 2

Glee Club 2; Piano Club 3; Athletic Club 4; Basketball 3.

The Class of '47 proudly presents——the Champion Cherry Pie Maker of L. H. S.——Esther. All right boys, line forms to the right but no guarantee of a cherry pie with every date. This curly headed gal likes to dance too and is often seen "Barlow bound." "Essie" is a good "jane" and takes part in all active sports when she doesn't have to be hurrying home to tuck the chickens in bed,——she's a farmer you know and does a great chicken business. After graduation she plans to attend beauty culture school and some day have a place of her own. Success is our wish for her.



"Lorky" J. DOLORES HAWK **Academic**
149 E. King Street
Littlestown, Pa.

Glee Club 2, 3, 4; Typing Club 3; Camera Club 4; Athletic Association 4; Operetta 1, 2, 3, County Chorus 3; Student Librarian 3, 4.

Every morning you could see this tall lanky senior girl hurrying across the playground two or three minutes or—well, she usually made it. When Lorky arrived she hurried to finish her French lesson which somehow didn't get done until the last minute. Dolores is also a busy girl outside of school for she has been working after school saving to go to college for she wants to teach "young 'uns." We feel sure she'll be able to keep her pupils quiet because she did a swell job as student librarian keeping the noise down to a minimum in the library. Here's hoping this ability sticks with her and her pupils learn a great deal under her teaching!

"Jackie" JACQUELINE B. HOCKENSMITH **Academic**
Littlestown, Pa.
R. D. 1

Orchestra 2, 3, 4; Band 3, 4; Glee Club 2, 3, 4; Dramatic Club 3; Operetta 1; County Chorus 4; All-State Orchestra 3.

A pleasing smile, and a pair of dimples—that's our Jackie who plays the bass violin in band and orchestra. Boy, listen to her sound out those bass notes! Bright and early every morning you saw her coming in the Gettysburg pike. Yes, Jackie is from the country and what's more that's where her heart belongs. With wedding bells ringing in her ears and that sparkler no her left hand, third finger, which a farmer boy named Carroll gave her, it seems a sure thing that life on a farm will be her future lot. May matrimony be bliss, Jackie!

'Charb" CHARLOTTE L. HOFE **Academic**
121 E. King Street
Littlestown, Pa.

Basketball 1, 2, 3, 4; Glee Club 2, 3, 4; Sports' Editor of The Littonian Echo 4; Class Representative 1; Class Secretary 3; Typing Club 3; Camera Club 4; Operetta 1, 2, 3; Softball 3; Volleyball 3; Journalism 1, 2, 3, 4; County Chorus 4; Monogram Club 3; Athletic Association 4.

"There goes Charb to Room 101 again." Maybe you've heard this said about her sometime during the year. She has been on the staff of our school paper for four years and has done a good job as Sports' Editor as everyone knows who has read her articles in "The Littonian Echo." Charb has been very active in sports having played guard on the girls' basketball team and played in softball and volleyball games. She has also participated in the Glee Club activities singing alto. A lot of Charlotte's time outside of school is spent at the skating rink in Taneytown where you've probably seen her. Her ambition is to become a nurse and we are confident that her cheerful personality will aid her patients on the road to recovery.

"Fran" FRANCES V. KING **Academic**
Littlestown, Pa.
R. D. 1

Glee Club 2, 3, 4; Dramatic Club 3; Typing Club 4; Operetta 2.

Who is that coming into home room after the devotions are over? It's none other than Frances King. Although she may be late in coming to school she never lets a minute go idly by for during her spare time she was usually busily engaged in writing letters to a certain someone or leisurely reading a book. Frances is a good sport and takes much teasing from her friends. Although she doesn't participate in any games outside of school, she loves to attend and enjoy them. Her desire to become a nurse or beautician is indefinite but we want to wish her much success in any vocation she may choose.

"*Kliney*" HYLDA C. KLINEFELTER **Academic**
Gettysburg, Pa.
R. D. 5

Dramatic Club 2; Operetta 1, 2, 3, 4; Band 1, 2, 3, 4; Typing Club 3; Library Club 4; Glee Club 2, 3, 4; Assistant Editor of The Littonian 4; District Chorus 4; County Band 3, 4; County Chorus 2, 3, 4; Student Librarian 4.

"Hi 'ya Doc"! This is what we'll probably be saying to this young lady sometime in the future. Hylda, who is ambitious and very intelligent as you know when you take a glance at all those A's on her report card, has set a high goal for herself, aspiring to be a doctor. But it isn't all work and no play either for she is very musically inclined charming many with her lovely soprano voice. Remember the Forensic Contest and the Cantique de Noel? Playing the trumpet and piano accordian is right down her "alley" too. Though the medical career may have its obstacles, we know she'll tackle it with the same victorious spirit she did her studies. Go to it, Hylda!

"*Dot*" DOROTHY LEE KNIGHT **Commercial**
22 Newark Street
Littlestown, Pa.

Basketball 1, 2, 3; Senior Play 4; High School Play 2, 4; Dramatic Club 3; Camera Club 4; Softball 3; Operetta 1, 2, 3; Glee Club 2, 3, 4; County Chorus 4; Athletic Association 4.

Three out of five days is often the attendance record for Dot at school. If we gazed through a window of 101 she could often be seen strolling leisurely along without a worry in the world even though the bell rang long before. Dot has been very active in the dramatic field. Whenever there was a play and this small dark-haired girl appeared on the stage the audience was spellbound. This "mighty mite" likes sports and spends most of her leisure time going "round and round on wheels." Another main interest is a certain boy from Thurmont who visits Newark Street regularly. Whether she chooses to be an air hostess or a housewife we wish her "lots of luck."

"*Josie*" JOSEPHINE M. LIPPY **Commercial**
Littlestown, Pa.
R. D. 1

Glee Club 2, 3, 4; Operetta 1, 2, 3; Orchestra 2, 3, 4; Library Club 3; Athletic Asscciation 4.

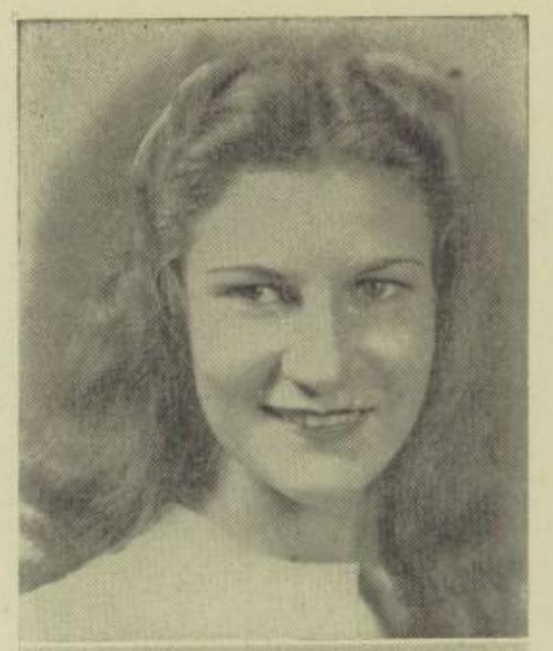
Who is that hopping off the school bus? Why it's Josie who hails from Kingsdale way. Josephine spent a lot of time in the Typing Room where she pounded that typewriter for dear life. Some people might call her quiet and shy but they don't keep that opinion for long because she can rattle on like the best of us. Maybe you've seen this girl bowing the violin in orchestra? Well, that's Josie and her violin will certainly be missed next year. She wants to continue her commercial studies and plans to enroll in a Baltimore business school. May success be hers!

"*Mac*" SHIRLEY M. MACKLEY **Academic**
158 E. King Street
Littlestown, Pa.

Journalism 1, 2, 3, 4; Operetta 1, 2; Littonian Staff 4; Volleyball 3; Glee Club 2, 4; Camera Club 4; Typing Club 3; Student Librarian 2, 3, 4; Athletic Association Reporter 4; Business Manager, The Littonian Echo 4; Class Officer (representative) 3.

The dark haired lass seen crossing the playground, and, maybe the lawn on a windy day with her sophomore nieghbor, is our friend "Mac." On entering the building she could be seen busily hurrying and scurrying in the corridor to a journalism meeting or the library where every thing was in ship shape order when she sat behind the desk acting as student librarian. Some day in the future we hope to see her sitting behind another kind of desk with a white cap on her head—this time acting as head nurse. To this senior lass we say adios and with that cheery personality know she will do well as a R. N.

"Shirl" SHIRLEY E. MATTHIAS **Commercial**
Littlestown, Pa.
R. D. 2



Band 1, 2, 3, 4; Twirling Club 3, 4; Athletic Association 4; County Band 3, 4.

Shirley is that senior girl who can boast of having the longest hair in the class. We can't say the same for her ideas for they are as modern as those of the best of us. She may seem to have a quiet nature but she can find plenty to talk about when she's in the mood. She has been a reliable member of the high school band playing second clarinet. Shirley can be proud of her school record for she has been a good student with an excellent attendance record. On Sunday nights she has often been seen driving that green "Chevie" towards Westminster to see a good show. She is undecided about her future but in whatever she engages we wish her happiness.

"Wib" WILBUR I. MAYERS **Industrial Arts**
347 E. King Street
Littlestown, Pa.

Soccer Manager 4; Band 4; Senior Fire Patrol 4; Home Ec. Club 3; Athletic Club 4; Operetta 1.

If you happen to hear a loud "boom" don't be alarmed for it's only "Wib" beating his bass drum. Besides being a member of the band he is interested in sports having been manager of the soccer team this year. "Wib" is one of our most industrious shop students as he even has a wood working shop of his own and works for his uncle in the upholstery business. Last year he won the title of Van Johnson for being the neatest boy in L. H. S. and we know this good habit will benefit him throughout life. Every Friday and Saturday night he can be seen going down Prince Street to see a "lassie" known to us as "Janet." After graduation he hopes to continue with his shop and in the near future start a business of his own. With "oh's" and "ah's" L. H. S. bids farewell to its Van Johnson.

"Erma" ERMA V. MILLER **Commercial**
408 S. Queen Street
Littlestown, Pa.

Glee Club 3, 4; Library Club 3; Camera Club 4.

Do you want to meet a quiet senior? Well, here's Erma, the type of girl we are sure Mr. Stavely wishes he had more of in homeroom. This is the young lady who usually handled the money around school. This bit of conversation was not unusual in Mr. Stavely's study halls. "Now Erma in about ten minutes you can take the money to the bank." Then away she went with it safely tucked under her arm. Working gal—yes sir-ree—one of the Windsor shoe employees—and after work a tan Dodge waiting with a guy named Ray who goes with it to wisp her away home at the end of Baltimore Street. Erma, may luck of the Irish and the good fortune of a rabbit's foot be yours!

"Reds" CHARLOTTE L. MOTTER **Academic**
Littlestown, Pa.
R. D. 2

Operetta 1, 2, 3, 4; County Chorus 4; Majorette 3, 4; Basketball Manager 3, 4; Twirling Club 3, 4; Glee Club 2, 3, 4; Athletic Association 4.

Look at the majorette of the L. H. S. band! Time to pause for a long low whistle. Yes, Charlotte really looked "neat" leading the band with her high stepping and fancy twirling. "Reds" (the only one in the class) doesn't display the temper her hair seems to suggest but is a jolly, fun loving kid especially in P. O. D. (and, oh, some of the capers she cut back in that corner!) As the girls' basketball manager she was "on the ball" and her score keeping will be missed in the future. With her ability to get along with children we'll probably be sending our kids to schoolma'rm Motter some day. Good luck in the teaching profession!

"Ruthie" RUTH E. MYERS **Commercial**
Littlestown, Pa.
R. D. 1

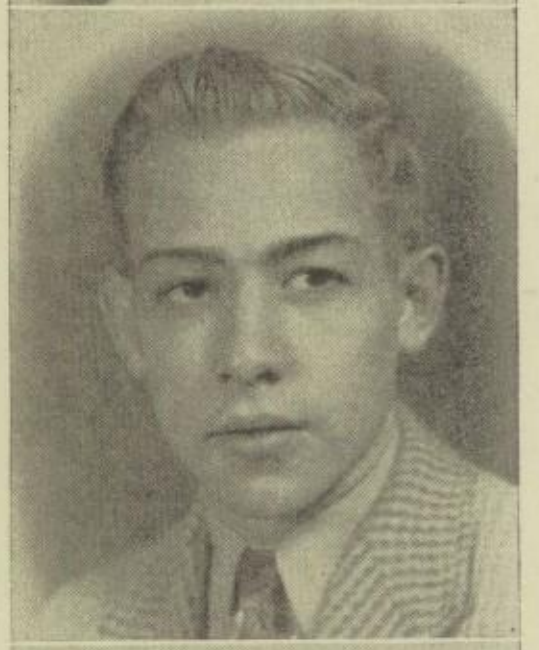
Glee Club 2, 4; Library Club 3, 4; Littonian Echo Typist 4; Class Treasurer 1, 2, 3, 4; Library Club President 3, 4; Operetta 1; Athletic Association 4.

Where's "Ruthie"? Oh, there she is behind the candy case selling candy for all she's worth! Ruth happens to be one of the smallest girls in her class. In her junior year, her neat dress and personality aided her in winning the title of "Miss June Allyson of L. H. S." She has also proved efficient as class treasurer during her four years at L. H. S. and has been successful in her secretarial work for Mrs. Walker. Not only is she sharp in French but she can beat out a mean tune on her typewriter as well. "Ruthie" may your happy smile cheer others as it has cheered us.

"Mats" MADALINE C. PLUNKERT **Academic**
Littlestown, Pa.
R. D. 1

Basketball 2, 3, 4; Volley Ball 3; Band 1; Student Librarian 2, 3, 4; Senior Play 4; Operetta 1, 2, 3, 4; Typing Club 3, 4; Glee Club 2, 3, 4; Athletic Association 4; Monogram Club 3.

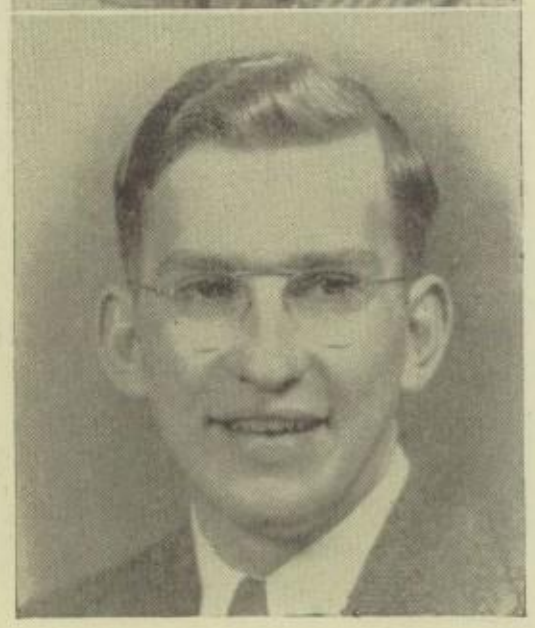
Did you hear that giggle at the other end of the hall? Well, you can be pretty sure it was Matsy, the happy-go-lucky of the senior class. She is well liked by everyone and is usually seen with a certain other senior girl. If Mats is not seen at the Rainbow, she can probably be found driving her '37 "Chevie" to Haines. She has participated in a number of activities but her chief interest was basketball. Mats can also look on the serious side of life and her ambition is to be a nurse. We feel sure that Matsy will have little trouble preparing for this profession and best wishes are extended in her endeavors.



"Abie" EARL A. REBERT **Industrial Arts**
210 M Street
Littlestown, Pa.

Basketball Manager 3, 4; Baseball 2, 3, 4; Operetta 2; Glee Club 2, 3, 4; Soccer 4; County Chorus 4; Home Ec. Club 3, 4.

Do you want to know anything about a tractor? If you do, just ask "Abe" who knows about the gadgets on a Farmall. "Abie" has been a super manager of the Thunderbolt basketball team and helped to bring in those points in the intramural basketball games. He could always be seen working away right before a play hurrying to get the scenery done on time. In fact thats' about the only time we saw him hurry because he usually takes life very calmly especially getting up early in the morning. Abie is one of the students to whom the adviser dropped a few reminders to be on time. The class of '47 sends him on with best wishes.



"Johnny" JOHN A. REBERT **Commercial**
Littlestown, Pa.
R. D. 1

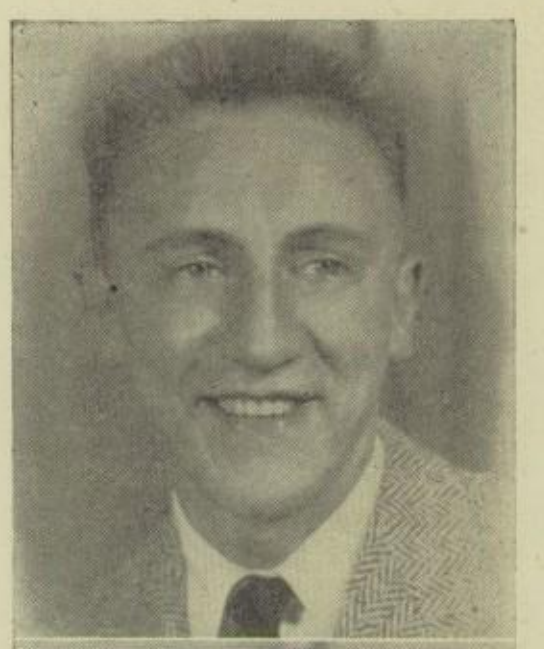
Class Officer (secretary) 1, (president) 2, 3; Operetta 1, 4; Dramatic Club 2, 3; Business Manager of Littonian 4; Camera Club 4; Glee Club 2, 3, 4.

This blonde senior who wears the red coat that clashes with a certain female's in the junior class and a guy who has a kind word for everybody is our "Johnny." During his freshman and sophomore year he was somewhat quiet and easy going but "man" the last two years found "Johnny" everywhere. He is the fellow who made the Commercial Room sound like a machine gun nest and who can type faster than Iturbi could play Polonaise in A flat. John has a way of making friends and is popular with every one as we observed during the noon hour when he had a flock of females around him. Johnny plans to attend Shippensburg to prepare for teaching. We know he will be a great success and he deserves it!

"Dreamboat" CARROLL E. REED **Industrial Arts**
Littlestown, Pa.
R. D. 1

Band 1, 2, 3, 4; Basketball 3, 4; Baseball 3, 4; Orchestra 4; Soccer 4; Athletic Club 3; County Band 3, 4; Athletic Association 4.

An optomist—yes, every class has them and ours is Carroll—carefree, not a trouble—that's he. Easy going may rate high on his list of characteristics but spunk is way up there too as he has proven in his excellent soccer performance as halfback. What did he care for kicks and bruises as long as he could keep the ball going down the field? "Dreamboat" didn't show much interest in the opposite sex until this year but now he's certainly gone to town—every town. A gal in every surrounding community—that's Reed's motto. Here's hoping he carries his success in getting acquainted with the lassies into life and really makes his career superb!



"Dolly" DOROTHY L. REINDOLLAR **Commercial**
57 Crouse Park
Littlestown, Pa.

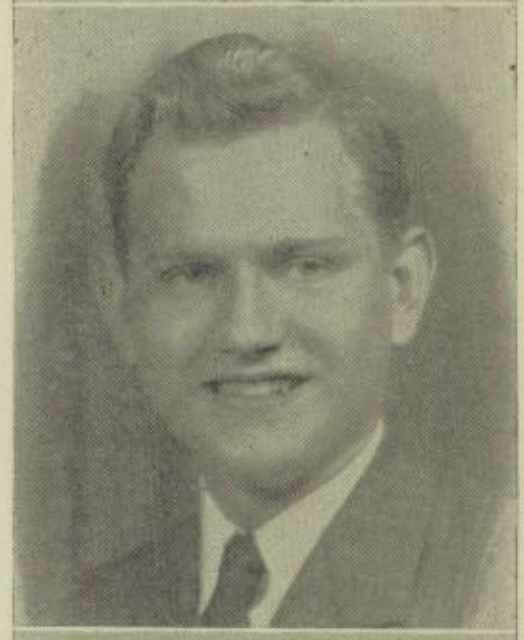
Library Club 3, 4; Student Librarian 4; Glee Club 2, 4.

Noise, noise everywhere, no one to stop it anywhere. This applies to everyone in study hall except Dorothy but we can't ever blame her for getting us into trouble. She is a very quiet and studious person with a smile and a "hello" for everyone. This year she proved to all that she was a good sport for any girl who can stand up to a mouse and not complain deserves an applause. Her favorite hobby is reading—one book right after another—also doing her French lesson. Dolly's future looks bright and happy leaning toward the business world. We feel sure her employer will never fret over her work. Best wishes!

"Marve" J. MARVIN ROBERTS **Commercial**
69 N. Queen Street
Littlestown, Pa.

Operetta 1; Camera Club 3; Athletic Club 4.

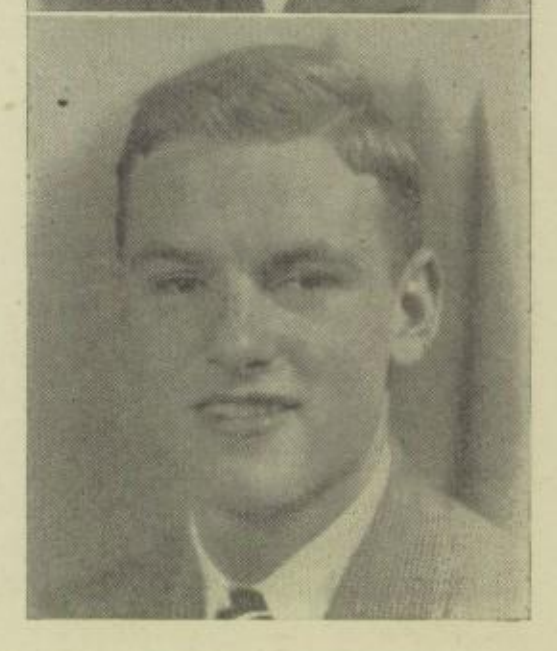
After four years of L. H. S. with "Marve" he grows on you. He is one of the most affable chaps in the senior class, and is always neat and well groomed usually preferring bright colors, sometimes loud socks that almost talk. "Marve" is always polite to everyone and in study hall he always seemed to be working on one of those mysterious looking "office practice" books. If, in the future, Marvin should make office work a permanent vocation, we can be sure he will be an asset in whatever he chooses to do. We won't need to wish him "good luck," we know he'll have it.

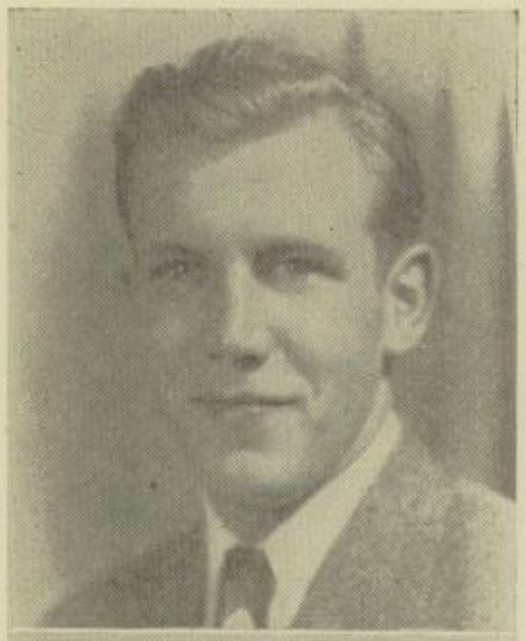


"Bob" ROBERT L. SCHOLL **Academic**
326 S. Queen Street
Littlestown, Pa.

Basketball 1, 2, 3, 4 (co-captain); Baseball 2, 3, 4; Soccer 4; Band 1, 2, 3, 4; Orchestra 1, 2, 3; Operetta 1, 2, 3, 4; High School Play 2, 3; Senior Play 4; Glee Club 2, 3, 4; District Band 3, 4; County Chorus 2, 3, 4; County Band 2, 3, 4; Athletic Association President 4; Class Officer 1, 2, 3, 4; Dramatic Club 2; Athletic Club 3; Typing Club 4; Littonian Staff 4; High School Quartette 1, 2, 3, 4; L. H. S. Quartette 1, 2, 3, 4.

We hear music in the air! Richard's boys are beating out the latest jive numbers with Bob on the horn. Maybe you saw him in there fighting in some of the toughest basketball games or was it on stage in any number of plays? Just take a look at that list of activities—he has been in practically everything that L. H. S. offers and he hasn't done too bad in his studies. Bob is also noted for his tenor voice which has sounded out above everyone else in Glee Club and the Operettas. Bob's night life is spent with a certain little brown haired girl named Shirley. We wonder what will happen when they go away to different colleges. For a long time he wanted to be a civil engineer but now it seems he has changed his mind. However, he is still mechanically minded and we say, "Go to it, Bob."





"Bud" CLARENCE L. SCHWARTZ, JR. **Academic**
46 N. Queen Street
Littlestown, Pa.

Basketball 1, 2, 3, 4; Baseball 1, 2, 3, 4; Operetta 1, 2, 3, 4; High School Play 3; Band 3, 4; Monogram Club 3; Orchestra 4; Soccer 4; Glee Club 2, 3, 4; L. H. S. Quartet 1, 2, 3, 4; County Band 3, 4; County Chorus 3, 4; Athletic Association 4.

We always knew Bud was around if we heard a smooth baritone voice sounding out above all the noise that might be in study hall after the teacher walked out. With this voice he has really made a name for himself in operettas and the Forsenic Contest. Many times you have seen him in his sleek "Chevie" speeding toward Two Taverns to pick up his "Pug" and bring her to the basketball game or other school doings. Bud was one of the top hoop scorers in the county and played a good game as center on the Thunderbolts' team. Other sports are tops with him and he'd like to go South to a baseball school, then into the big leagues. Our best wishes go with him in his attempts.

"Count Basie" HERBERT J. SELL **Academic**
26 E. King Street
Littlestown, Pa.

Basketball 2; Baseball 4; Operetta 4; Band 1, 2, 3, 4; Glee Club 1, 2, 3, 4; Athletic Association 4; Dramatic Club 2, 3; Orchestra 1, 2, 3, 4.

Perhaps you have seen "Herb" leading a snappy dance band which many people enjoy or maybe just playing the piano for a group of friends. On days when he didn't have to go to school you could find him helping his dad with wallpapering. He has shown us that he can do this job well and always seems to enjoy such work but music still reigns as his profession. The "Count" has been a fine classmate and always willing to help a friend. We hope that sometime soon he can get his orchestra's name in lights. The class of '47 wishes him all the luck he'll need.

"Needie" ONEIDA M. SNYDER **Commercial**
Littlestown, Pa.
R. D. 2

Class Officer 4; Operetta 2, 3, 4; Student Librarian 3, 4; High School Play 4; Senior Play 4; Glee Club 2, 3, 4; County Chorus 3, 4; Dramatic Club 3; Camera Club 4; Athletic Association (Secretary) 4; Softball 3.

Listen, who's that in the center of the crowd laughing as if she'll split a couple of ribs? That's right, it's that Snyder kid whose personality certainly added much to the class since she enrolled in L. H. S. during the freshman year. Any place where there was noise and a gay time you'd be sure to find Needie for she's ready to do anything from taking a "leave" from school to scaring meek little girls by putting mice in their lockers. But she is interested in work too for around 8:15 you could almost always be sure to find her in 104, going over her French. Truthfully Neeide is one swell girl and even though she's vague about her future we know as "sure as shootin" she will succeed.

"Polly" PAULINE L. SPALDING **Vocational Home Ec.**
21 Centennial Avenue
Hanover, Pa.

Band 1, 2, 3, 4; Orchestra 1, 2, 3; Typing Club 4; Dramatic Club 3; Glee Club 2, 3, 4; Operetta 1, 2, 3, 4; F. H. A. 4 (Vice President); Athletic Association 4.

Nine A. M., a banging of Locker 139 and we know that "Polly" has arrived. This lass hails from Hanover and can be seen at "Liggetts Drug Store" over the week-ends. Polly is one of the happy-go-lucky girls of our class and because of her five feet, eight she has been a swell guard in interclass basketball games. She has been a regular member of the L. H. S. band for the past four years and has done a splendid job tooting her alto horn. Her ambition is to become a dress designer and the class of '47 hopes she'll "run a good act."

"Doris" DORIS E. SPANGLER **Commercial**
Littlestown, Pa.
R. D. 2

Band 1, 2, 3, 4; Operetta 1; Camera Club 3, 4.

Well, look who's here. It's Doris back again. We almost gave her up for lost when she was ill so long this year and from now on we hope she'll have the best of health. She has been an excellent commercial student and was often seen in Room 102 working away at shorthand, her favorite subject. This senior "gal" is a member of the clarinet section of the band and will be greatly missed next year. Her after school activities include being escorted to the movies by the owner of a '46 Ford and attending school functions. Her desire is to be a housewife and at the same time have a commercial career working in a bank. Our best wishes !!!

"Spang" SHIRLEY M. SPANGLER **Academic**
76 N. Queen Street
Littlestown, Pa.

Basketball 1, 2, 3, 4 (captain); Softball 3, 4; Volleyball 3; Senior Play; High School Play 1, 2, 3; Glee Club 2, 3, 4; County Chorus 4; Orchestra 1, 2, 3, 4; Editor-in-Chief of The Littonian 4; Editor-in-Chief of The Littonian Echo 4; Journalism 1, 2, 3, 4; Typing Club 3; Monogram Club 3; Operetta 1, 2, 3, 4; Athletic Association (Executive Council) 4.

Running hither and thither is what this lassie does from morning "til night and, if you want to see her, you'll find yourself doing the same for "Spang" is one of the busiest persons around L. H. S. She at least had her little finger in almost every activity in school. If you are doubtful just take a peek at the list of activities in which she participated. When "Spang" tackles a job she never gives up until it's finished no matter whether it be a basketball game or the latest issue of "The Littonian Echo." After working in Hanover Hospital last summer, she decided to make her career a medical technician but this is just a stop off on the road to her real ambition—being one of the two main supports of a home. Spang is always happy and we believe that is what she will build her life on so we never need have fears for her success.

"Staubie" S. LOUISE STAUB **Vocational Home Ec.**
148 W. King Street
Littlestown, Pa.

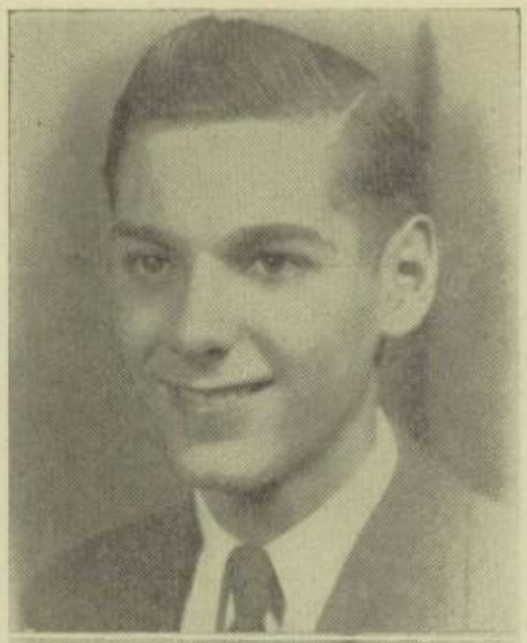
Band 1, 2, 3, 4; Glee Club 2, 3, 4; Operetta 1, 2, 3, 4; Senior Play; F. H. A. (Treasurer) 4; County Band 3, 4; County Chorus 2, 3, 4; High School Play 3; Library Club 4; Collectors' Club 3; Athletic Association 4.

We took a peek into Room 2 recently, and what do you think we saw? "Staubie" was modeling another "snazzie" dress she had just completed—she's quite a seamstress when it comes to making new clothes. Not only will the Home Ec. Department miss her helping hand but so will the alto section of the Glee Club and trumpet of the band. Louise has had quite a time with her love life but "Spurg" rates high most of the time when they're not "spatting". Since "Staubie" enjoys sewing, it is her ambition to become a clothes designer. The class of '47 sincerely wishes her the greatest success in her coming ventures.

"Libby" ELIZABETH M. UTZ **Academic**
Littlestown, Pa.
R. D. 1

Band 1; Glee Club 2, 3, 4; Operetta 1, 2, 3, 4; Typing Club 3, 4.

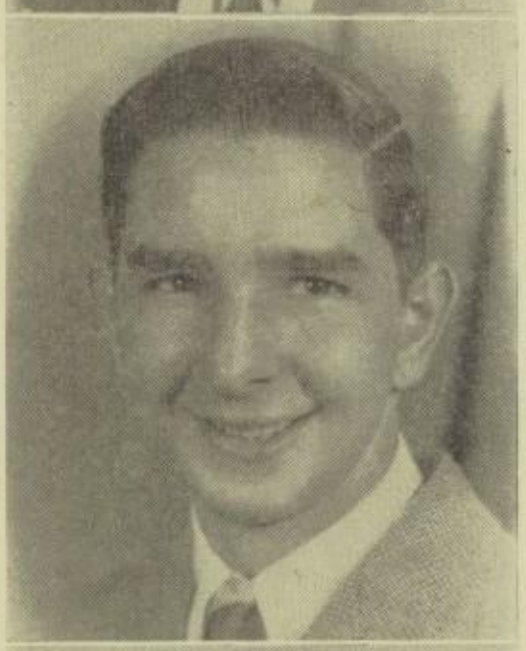
Who's that girl with the dark curly hair spinning around that skating rink? You guessed it, of course, Lib Utz. Play first, work second, has been Libby's schedule throughout high school. Her attendance at Rainbow often seemed, better than her attendance at school for it seems she was often missing on those "blue Mondays." Lib has been a swell friend always ready to laugh at anyone's new joke or listen to their latest complaints and we know she will be missed as one of the "jolliest" seniors. She is undecided if college shall be her lot, but if it isn't she can always fall back on skating. Here's wishing her smooth skating in life.



"*Jim*" JAMES M. WEHLER **Academic**
Littlestown, Pa.,
R. D. 2

Band 1, 2, 3, 4; Orchestra 1, 2, 3; Glee Club 2, 4; Chess Club 3; Operetta 3; 4; Camera Club 4; County Band 2, 3, 4; District Band 3, 4; County Chorus 4; Athletic Association 4.

Who is that tall, dark and handsome young chap standing near 101 talking to the one and only senior red-head? Gee, how did you guess it? That's right, it's "Jim." He's the boy who came to school with a pair of clod-hoppers and on Wednesday and Friday you could see him bringing his King Trombone for band. In band he has made quite a name for himself for he played since he was in seventh grade, has been in District Band for the past two years and County, three. When intramural basketball season started he was always on hand. At soccer games whenever a flash went by, no one wondered for they all knew it was "Jim," the lineman for the team. He is well liked by everyone and is an all-around "Joe." He is undecided about his future but in whatever work he plans to engage we know he'll attain his goal.



"*Wilkie*" THOMAS H. WILT **Industrial Arts**
14 Cemetery Street
Littlestown, Pa.

Soccer 4; Class Officer (representative) 3; Glee Club 2, 3, 4; Home Ec. Club 3, 4; Operetta 2.

"Barlow shuffle" that's all we need to say and Tom is off; he has his partner and is shuffling around the room already. This was the spirit he showed all during "the good ole school days" eager, ready to do things, other than school work and how! "Wilkie" is a fine fellow, liked by all the students and always has a few words or a smile for everyone. We can't forget him when it comes to soccer for he was the goal keeper, and he allowed few points to be made by the opposing teams. Thomas has a wide variety of occupations to choose from and, whatever his choice, may his future be bright.

"*Jan*" JANET M. WINTRODE **Vocational Home Ec.**
Littlestown, Pa.
R. D. 1

Glee Club 2, 4; Dramatic Club 3, 4; F. H. A. Club 4; Operetta 2, 4.

Now, will you girls please be quiet? Of course, "Jan" is among that group of girls using her certain knack for talking which everyone comes up against once they get to know her. She is a stellar intramural basketball forward and has helped to score many points. Janet turned out some tasty dishes during the few weeks we had a cafeteria and she has also done a lot of other excellent work in home ec. We know she'll be a good housewife with all her home making training and may she make things ever run smoothly for herself and hers as she did in the past.

"*Jeannie*" JEAN E. YEALY **Vocational Home Ec.**
11 W. King Street
Littlestown, Pa.

Basketball 1, 2, 3, 4; Operetta 1, 2, 3, 4; Softball 3; Dramatic Club 3; Band 1, 2, 3, 4; Orchestra 2, 3; County Chorus 3, 4; County Band 2, 3, 4; F. H. A. Club (President) 4; Typing Club 4; Monogram Club 3; Volleyball 3; Glee Club 2, 3, 4; Athletic Association 4.

Stick it, Jean! Remember how many times we yelled those words and she usually came through with two points. "Jeannie with the light brown hair" has also given a helping hand to many other school activities mainly the Glee Club. Her portrayal of Mama Liza sure swept everyone to the deep South. As one of the Yealy family she is often seen in the five and ten giving the customers quite a sales talk—she enjoys her work and would like to have a store of her own some day. In whatever goal she engages we wish Jeannie the best of everything.

1. *Bashful Tommy*
2. *Doris E. in her "little" red wagon*
3. *Sad case*
4. *Needie still likes watermelon*
5. *Puppy love*
6. *Charlie without curls*
7. *Minnie Mouse*
8. *Picnicker Marion*
9. *Frances in the tub*
10. *Rid 'em Hylda*
11. *Louise S. on a bicycle built for one*
12. *Dolores is a "big girl" now*
13. *Farmer John*
14. *Bathing Beauty*
15. *Senator Schwartz and Ambassador Mayers*
16. *When we were young and gay*
17. *The intellectual four*

Class Will

OF THE CLASS OF 1947

We, the class of 1947 of Littlestown High School, upon reaching the point in our lives at which we pass on to greater things, hereby declare this to be our last will and testament and make the following bequests:

To our principal, Mr. King, we will a share of our sincere gratitude for his faithful and kind service and guidance. We also, leave with him our most sincere wishes for continuing success throughout the years to come.

To Mr. Evans, we will the spirit to win and play clean in all sports and five freshman boys for a winning basketball team to bring trophies to L. H. S.

To Mr. Stover, we will Robert Scholl's trumpet playing ability.

To the next dramatic coach who needs twins, we will Marion Bankert and Dorothy Knight's likeness.

To our underclassmen:

We will Jeanne Baughman's blonde hair to Eleanor Harner.

We will Doris Conover's locker to Kenneth Rice.

We will Mary Kay Crouse's love for Mr. Stavely in P. O. D. and Shirley Matthias's long tresses, to Mary Renner.

We will Louise Dodrer's chewing gum ability to Doris Claybaugh.

We will Elizabeth Eckenrode's love of reading to Dorris Kerns.

We will Ruth Eppleman's slimness to Janet Wenschhof.

We will Doris Everhart's after school job at the Windsor to Brenda Walker.

We will Arveta Feeser's drivers license to Robert Reinaman.

We will Charles Hall's wavy hair to Robert King.

We will the natural curly hair of Esther Hankey and Elizabeth Utz to Ruth Miller and Bernice Gerrick.

We will LeRoy Harner's shop ability to Robert Snyder.

We will Dolores Hawk's love of gym class to Joann Wehler.

We will Jacqueline Hockensmith's string bass section in band to Virginia Herr.

We will Charlotte Hofe's position as Sports' Editor and Marvin Robert's dislike of history to Albert Stock.

We will Frances King's tardiness to Jean Wolfe.

We will Hylda Klinefelter's seat on the school bus to Velma Flickinger.

We will the typing ability of Josephine Lippy and David Reinaman's navy uniform to Kenneth Boyd.

We will Shirley Mackley's back seat in home room to her brother Jack.

We will Wilbur Mayers' hours spent in shop to Richard Mehring.

We will Erma Miller's daily trip to the bank to Eleanor Spangler.

We will Charlotte Motter's baton to Anna Mae Bish.

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We will Ruth Myer's shortness to Shirley Hawk.
We will Madaline Plunkert's driving ability to James Myers.
We will Earl Rebert's locker to Pat Shull for her coat.
We will John Rebert's red coat and hat to Earl Humbert.
We will Carroll Reed's basketball ability to George Harner.
We will Dorothy Reindollar's French book to Herman Boyd.
We will Albert Bair's baritone horn to Hobs Crouse's junkyard.
We will Bud Schwartz's love for the Gettysburg Battlefield to Mervin Myers.
We will Herbert Sell's piano and James Wehler's clodhoppers to Hamilton Walker.
We will Oneida Snyder's "clean and tidy!!??!!" saddles to Loyse Waltman.
We will Pauline Spalding's tall stature to Richard E. Wolfe.
We will Doris Spangler's shorthand ability to Betty Hankey.
We will Shirley Spangler's load she carries to school to Janet Kerns.
We will Louise Staub's sewing ability to her sister, Ruth.
We will Thomas Wilt's weekly "Barlow Bound" journey to Richard S. Wolfe.
We will Janet Wintrode's boldness to Betty King.
We will Jean Yealy's basketball ability to her sister, Eloise.
We will room 101 plus Mr. Stavely to forthcoming freshmen.

To the school as a whole, we will the loyalty and tradition to carry on sponsored activities that help make the school great, to take victories and success with proud hearts and defeats and failure with your chin up, to have cheerfulness and good sportsmanship in whatever you encounter in school and your daily lives.

In testimony whereof we have hereunto set our hand and seal this fifteenth day of April, in the year nineteen hundred and forty-seven.

(Signed) Class of 1947
Littlestown High School

Robert Scholl
Herbert Sell
Shirley Spangler
Witnesses.

A Look Into The Future

1957

Hurrying aboard ship one late April evening, whom did I encounter but my old classmate from high school days Marion Bankert. Not having much time to talk, we made a dinner date that evening.

After checking over the supplies in sick bay and settling my self in my stateroom, I went to the dining room to await the arrival of Marion where I saw Mr. and Mrs. LeRoy Harner and Mr. and Mrs. Carroll Miller (Mrs. Miller was the former Jacqueline Hockensmith) celebrating their wedding anniversaries by taking a second honeymoon in Southern France. This promised to be a more pleasant trip then I anticipated.

While enjoying the meal set before us and talking of the happy times we had together, our conversation soon drifted to our other classmates and we wondered where they were. Marion told me of the completion of the new ten story professional building in New York where Hylda Klinefelter had her office. She had a thriving medical practice in addition to her duties at the hospital. She had employed, as an office nurse, Betty Eckenrode.

When looking around we found practically everyone had left the dining room so hurriedly we headed for the lounge. Here we talked to the Harners and Millers. LeRoy told us David Reinaman was doing post-graduate work at Harvard and Jackie gave us the whereabouts of Janet Wintrode. She was married and the mother of two children. She and her husband owned one of the largest dairy farms in Wisconsin.

The six of us went to the ballroom where I had a surprise for them—Herbert Sell's orchestra was making it's first crossing and provided music for dancing while going over. When we walked in, their guest soloist was singing and, to our astonishment, it was Bud Schwartz. They both were big hits in the states. We sincerely hoped they would have the same success in Europe.

Enjoying the companionship of my old friends, the voyage seemed quite short. After landing at Le Havre we all bid fond adieu.

The captain told us that our ocean liner would lay over in the harbor for a few days, so, taking advantage of this, I decided to fly to Paris. It was just my luck that an American Clipper had been forced down at the Le Harve airport the night before and was going on to Paris in a half-hour. After much wrangling I finally was able to travel on the clipper. I was relieved about getting into Paris sooner and it also delayed my use of French language which was practically non-existent. I heard a pleasant familiar voice saying "Fasten your safety belts, please." I turned quickly to see if I could believe my ears. Yes, the hostess was Dorothy Knight. We talked while traveling and Dot told me Elizabeth Utz and Frances King were hostesses too.

Upon arriving at Paris, I registered at one of the hotels and went to my room to refresh myself. Calling room service for my lunch—but when I asked I found the operator to be Louise Dodrer. She was free that evening so I asked her to join me in going to the theater. During the performance, we noticed a wonderful dancing couple. The girl was a petite blonde and a very graceful dancer. When she danced to the right of the stage where we were sitting we thought the face was familiar—but we were not sure. After the dance was over and they reappeared, we were convinced that the blonde

dancer was former classmate, Jeanne Baughman.

After the show we went to Miss Baughman's dressing room to talk with her. Louise heard that Arveta Feeser, a new and up-coming designer, was attending a fashion show here so we called her to meet us at Jeanne's apartment. She promised us a surprise in the form of three of her friends who were none other than Louise Staub, Jean Yealy and Erma Miller who worked for the same firm she did. Across the street from Jeanne's apartment Esther Hankey and Oneida Snyder operated a Parisian beauty shop. We all had a hilarious time.

My stay in Paris was over and I arrived in Le Harve again. I encountered Thomas Wilt, a maritime officer, on one of our merchant ships who was also back to the wharf so we got a taxi together. Tom told me that Carroll Reed and Earl Rebert opened a helicopter and an automobile service station and from all reports were doing well. Wilbur Mayers was operating his own carpentry shop in Littlestown, too.

We left LeHavre that evening but, being quite tired, I retired early. The next morning, back at my duties, I ventured into the captain's office where I saw a list of the passengers and while glancing over it I saw the names—Charles Hall and Robert Scholl. Here were two more classmates and in my first free time that day I sought them. I found them and we talked a while before I went back on duty. Charlie was an architect who was rapidly gaining recognition. Bob was one of his draftsmen. They told me John Rebert and Albert Bair were teaching in the same school in California. They asked me if I knew Dolores Hawk and Charlotte Motter were chaperoning a group of girls on a tour of New England.

The day we were to land in New York an elderly gentleman fell down a fiight of stairs and broke his leg. I accompanied him in the ambulance to Leister Memorial. After notifying his relatives, I took the opportunity to look around the place. I found Madaline Plunkert in charge of pediatrics.

After getting off duty, she escorted me around. In the laboratory, Technican Shirley Spangler was busy experimenting. They told me Charlotte Hofe was here with a private case and that Ruth Myers was a receptionist. We all went to dinner and to church that evening to hear a young minister, James Wehler, speak. His sermon was very impressive and we were inspired immensely. The girls told me Kay Crouse was teaching in Boston now and Doris Conover, Ruth Eppleman and Dorothy Reindollar were working in offices downtown while Josephine Lippy and Doris Everhart were typists at the air terminal over in Newark.

While resting in my apartment that evening and skimming over a Philly paper, my attention was drawn to an article headed "Marvin Roberts Named Head of American Shoe Manufacturers." Glancing over the article I found he was accompanied to the meeting by his secretary, Shirley Matthias.

The next day in the mail I received a letter from Pauline Spalding which gave me the minute details of Doris Spangler's big church wedding. Polly, a dressmaker, was coming to a convention in New York City. After answering her letter, I marveled that in the past few weeks I had either met or heard the whereabouts of all my former high school classmates.

Class Flower

Yellow Rose

Class Motto

"By Repeated Blows The Oak Is Felled"

Class Colors

Maroon and Gold

Class Song

Tune of Army Air Corps Song

Out we go into the great bright future
Climbing high to reach our goal;
Here we come, eager to show the world
That we have, what it takes,
Up we strive making our Alma Mater
Proud of the Class of '47;
We go without fear to meet our fate
Nothing can stop the class of '47!

—Words by Madaline Plunkert.

Student	Favorite Saying	Pet Peeve	What we usually see them doing	Ambition	What we predict they'll be
Albert Bair	Aw Gee	Roller Skating	Leaning against locker 73	Coach	Bouncer
Marion Bankert	Jiggeramacrank	Cats	Working on latest home ec. project	Dramatic work	"Joyce Jordan"
Jeanne Baughman	How can you tell?	Nosey people	Giggling	Beautician	Jr. Miss Model
Doris Conover	That's what you think	Mispronounced words	Answering the three buzzes	Secretary	Old maid
Mary Kay Crouse	Gee Willickers	Work with numbers	Giving her opinion	Phys. ed. teacher	Mother of ten kids
Louise Dodrer	Good Gosh	Shorthand	Working for Mr. Stover	Secretary	Champion gum chewer of U. S. A.
Betty Eckenrode	Holy Cow	People who stare	Reading	Nurse	Librarian
Ruth Eppleman	Gee Whiz	High heels with anklets	Sitting in fourth seat 1st row 101	Secretary	Model
Doris Everhart	You know it too	Braggers	Chewing gum	Secretary	Bus driver
Arveta Feeser	Good Golly	Maryland drivers	Taking pictures	Fashion designer	Secretary
Charles Hall	That's Superb	Spinach	Blowing off	Architect	Politician
Esther Hankey	Su-perb	Shorthand class	Combing some-one's hair	Beautician	Dancer
LeRoy Harner	How can you be sure?	Pinching	Making a home	Diesel mechanic	Dave's assistant
Dolores Hawk	Oh my achin' back	Going to the dentist	Working at Higinbotham's	Secondary teacher	Jeweler
Jackie Hockensmith	Oh baloney	Bow ties	Making things for her hope chest	Housewife	Career girl
Charlotte Hofe	Pay no mind to that	Dirty finger-nails	Gabbing with Dot	Nurse	Contractor
Frances King	Go jump in a lake	Getting up	Arriving late	Beautician	Waitress
Hylda Klinefelter	Oh my gosh	Pests	Slaving away	Medical doctor	Opera star
Dorothy Knight	I almost cracked up	Mr. Stover's study halls	Missing school	Airline hostess	Marylander
Josephine Lippy	Oh my gosh	Pencils without erasers	Talking	Typist	Busy body
Shirley Mackley	That's for sure	Prejudiced people	Getting in a last minute write-up	Nurse	Jail matron
Shirley Matthias	For pete's sake	Hillbilly music	Skating	Secretary	Hair stylist
Wilbur Mayers	What's it to you?	English class	Sleeping	Carpenter	Fixit shop owner

Student	Favorite Saying	Pet Peeve	What we usually see them doing	Ambition	What we predict they'll be
Erma Miller	Are you kidding?	Nosey People	Going to the bank	Secretary	Western Union messenger
Charlotte Motter	Oh my lands	Distrustful people	Trying to understand Trig	Elementary teacher	Minister's wife
Ruth Myers	You're not funny	Cowboy movies	Typing	Secretary	Six footer's wife
Madaline Plunkert	I'm hungry	Going to bed and getting up	Laughing	Nurse	Comedian
Earl Rebert	You're crazy	P. O. D. class	Getting into trouble	Motor mechanic	Junk dealer
John Rebert	Why doesn't some one tell me?	Freshmen girls	Hearing everyone's trouble	Secondary teacher	Private detective
Carroll Reed	Kiss my foot	P. O. D. class	Picking on someone	Mechanic	Photographer
David Reinaman	What's the dope?	Navy beans	Studying	Go to college	Naval officer
Dorothy Reindollar	Hubba Hubba	Losing pencils	Reading	Secretary	Chorus girl
Marvin Roberts	Well, Whaddaya know?	Noisy people	Day dreaming	Shoe worker	Manager of Windsor Shoe
Robert Scholl	Kiss my foot	Cats	Arguing	Draftsman	Worker of sewer projects
Clarence Schwartz	Gee Whiz	Silent girls	Bluffing	Singer	Clown
Herbert Sell	Dang-gone	Girls who smoke	Playing jazz	Orchestra leader	Floor walker
Oneida Snyder	If you say so	Morning after night before	Riding in a black Ford	Beautician	Owner of chicken farm
Pauline Spalding	Run your act	Onions	Riding Hanover-Littlestown bus	Seamstress	Billy Rose's Horse-Shoe Girl
Doris Spangler	Oh such talk	Rumors	Talking about Phil	Work in bank	Housewife
Shirley Spangler	Let's go home	Dirt	Rushing around	Lab. technican	"Trailer" wife
Louise Staub	You aren't even funny	schnits und knepps	Sewing	Seamstress	Dress designer
Elizabeth Utz	Oh my	Gossipy people	Dating	Airline hostess	Manager of a skating rink
James Wehler	Holy crap	Trig	With Charlotte	Minister	Night club owner
Thomas Wilt	Gee Whiz	Olives	Moaning	Maritime Service	Owner of Barlow's Hall
Janet Wintrode	Good Golly	Unhappy people	Hearing Jackie's household plans	Seamstress	Farmerette
Jean Yealy	Oh yeah	Boys who smoke	Bragging	Housewife	An old man's darling

STUDENT BODY

JUNIORS

SOPHOMORES

FRESHMEN

JUNIOR CLASS

First row
(*left to right*)

James Myers
Paul Bowers
Harold Hockensmith
Robert King
Kenneth Boyd
Mervin Myers
Herman Boyd
George Harner
Glenn Bair

Second row

Doris Renner
Elizabeth Lippy
Brenda Walker
Bernice Gerrick
Ruth Miller
Virginia Herr
Dolores Dayhoff
Margaret Stonesifer
Lorraine Myers
Joyce Myers
Marian Huff

Third row

Betty Hankey
Treva Bowers
Nadine Crabbs
Anna Heiser
Eleanor Spangler
Bessie Good
Jean Matthias
Charlotte Myers
Janet Wenschhof
Jean Dodrer

JUNIOR CLASS HISTORY

"Where do we go for the next class?" Those were the most frequently used words in the vocabulary of the studious looking girls and boys who made their debut to a high school career on that "drizzly" morning in September 1944.

Returning to L. H. S. in the fall of 1945 we took up the school activities as "silly sophomores." By this time we had several members of the class represented in the majority of extra-curricular activities. The main event of this year was the choosing of class rings which occured in May.

After three months vacation we resumed our studies as "jolly juniors." This year proved to be the highlight of our completed school years. In October we experienced the long awaited moment—the arrival of our class rings. Time passed swiftly and on March 21 the members of the class portrayed their acting ability in the presentation of the Junior Play "Crack-Up." The last event of importance of '47 was the Junior-Senior Prom held in April. And so the third chapter of the History of the Class of '48 is closed, only to be concluded next year.

Brenda Walker, Historian.

JUNIOR CLASS OFFICERS

Robert King	*President*
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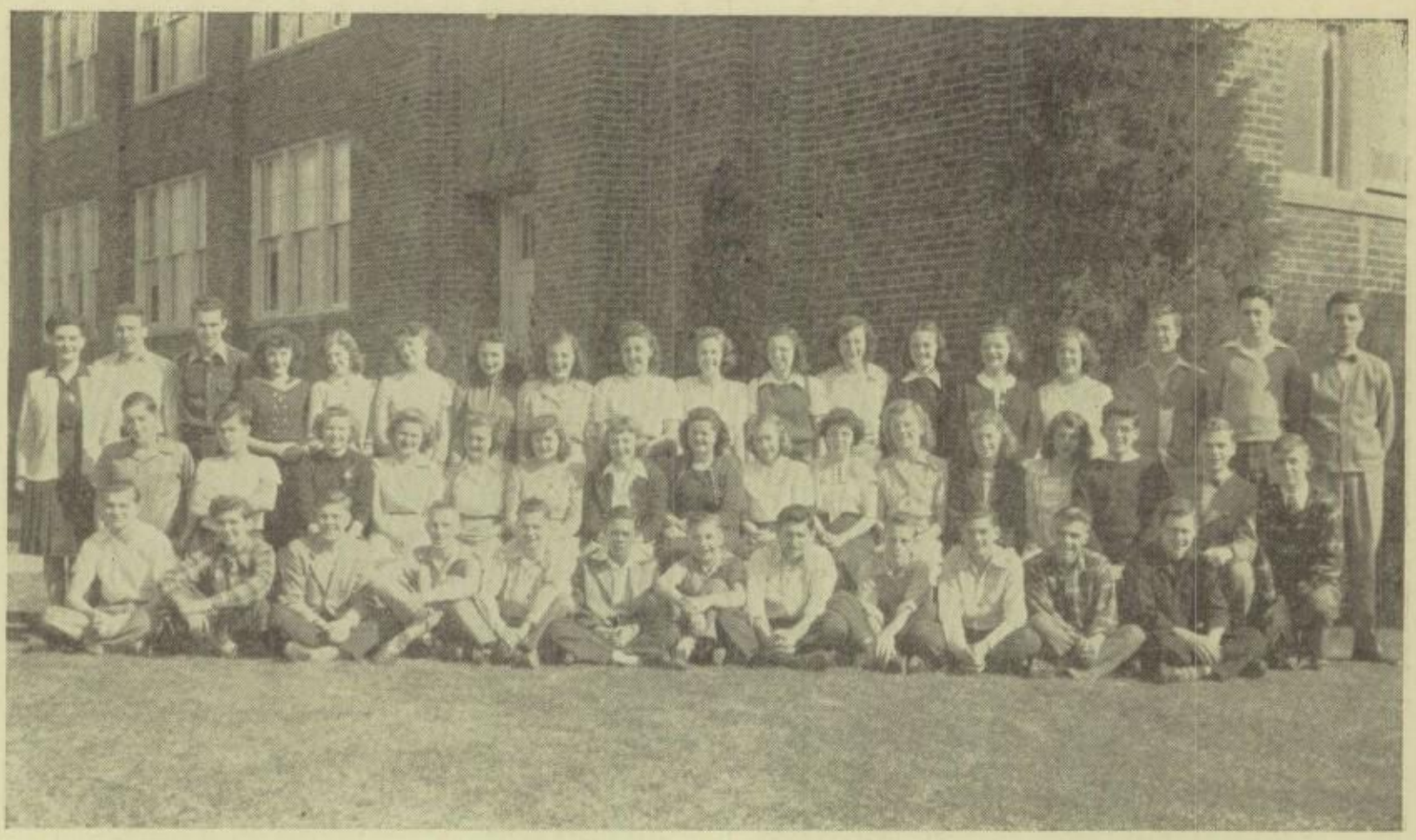
Kenneth Boyd	*Secretary*
Doris Renner	*Treasurer*
Brenda Walker	*Historian*
Elizabeth Lippy	*Class Representative*



SOPHOMORE CLASS

Front row
(left to right)
Albert Stock
Charles Grove
James Motter
Glenn Dutterer
Richard Geisler
William Snyder
Glenn Unger
Glenn Strausbaugh
Robert Reinaman
Theodore Bair
Ralph Unger
Robert Hall
Second row
Richard Wolfe
Burnell Brumgard
Doris Hawk
Dorris Kerns
Doris Reed
Charlotte Spangler
Betty Rebert
Evelyn Herr
Evelyn Anthony
Jeane Reck
Jane Bowers
Doris Claybaugh
Betty Eyler
Fred Warner
Richard Mehring
Hamilton Walker
Third row
Mrs. Wingert
Edward Fuhrman
Richard Bixler
Ina Harper
Betty Yingling
Velma Flickinger
Esther Koontz
Emily Badders
Bernice Currens
Virginia Rimel
Joann Wehler
Shirley Hawk
Anna Mae Bish
Marion Stavely
Patricia Shull
Clyde Bucher
Wilbur Sentz
Richard Little
Missing from picture
Charlotte Hall
June Huff
James Gunter
Lucille Shoemaker

SOPHOMORE CLASS HISTORY

One beautiful September morning in the year of Our Lord 1945, sixty boys and girls of Littlestown and vicinity began a new era of their lives. This group is now better known as the Class of '49.

At first all were a little slow at adjusting themselves to their new environment, but before the year was over members of the class had proved their worth in every phase of high school life, including sports, dramatics and music as well as the standard academic work.

The following year saw great changes in the class. The first of these changes was surely numerical for we were able to count only fifty students as members of the group. The second change was a personal one. Instead of a group of relatively serious young people, we had become a group that really deserved the name of "silly sophomores."

Despite these changes, members of the class were even more active in academic and extra-curricular work than ever before. This fact caused many of them to look forward to the time when they will be "jolly juniors" instead of "silly sophomores."

Albert Stock, Historian.

SOPHOMORE CLASS OFFICERS

Wilbur Sentz - - - - -	*President*
Glenn Dutterer - - - -	*Vice President*
Shirley Hawk - - - - -	*Secretary*
Joann Wehler - - - - -	*Treasurer*
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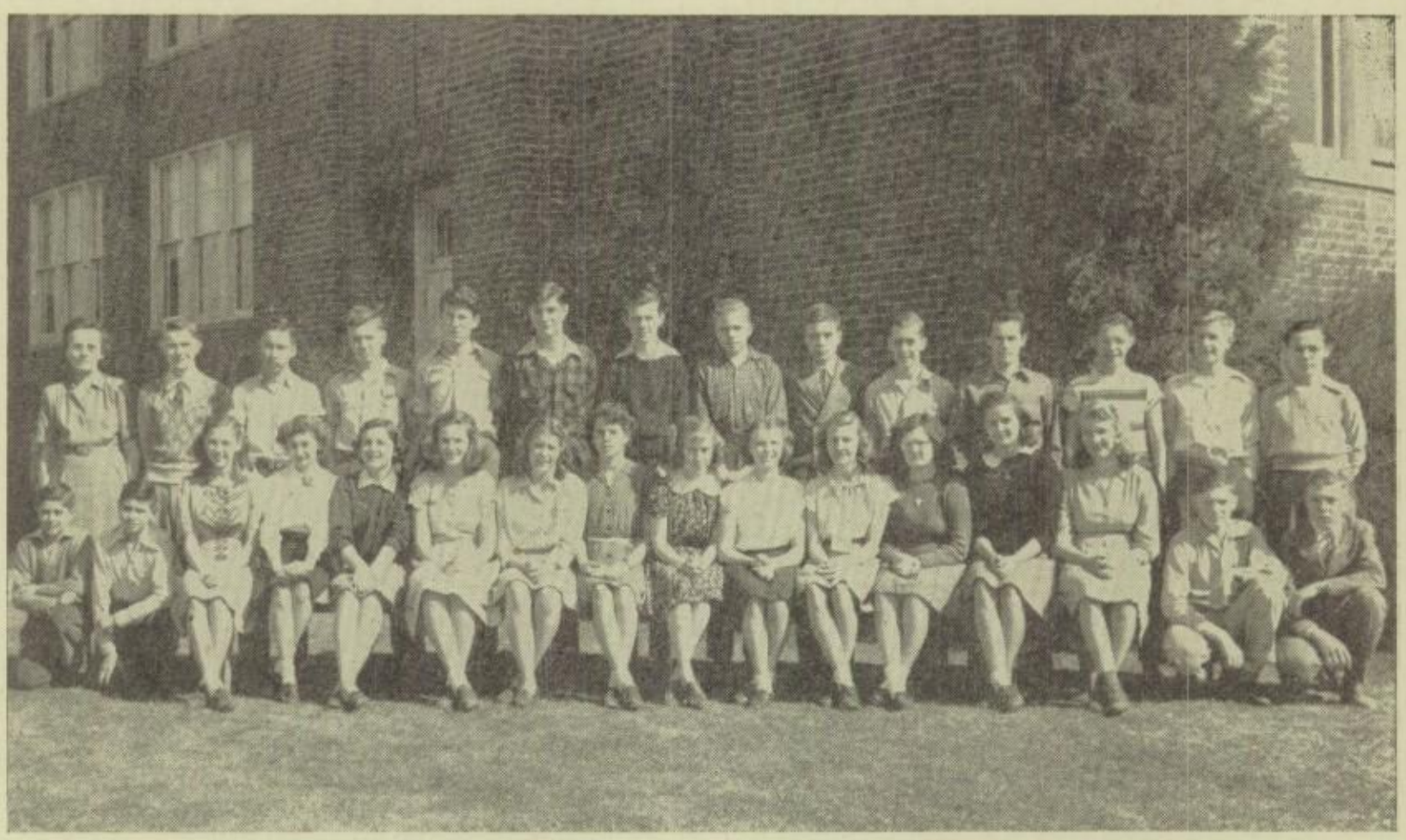
Jeane Reck - - - -	*Class Representative*



First row (left to right)—*A. Breighner, C. Brown, P. Bittle, E. Harner, H. Badders, B. Hess, P. Deardorff, M. Flickinger, J. Baughman, B. Hooper, G. Baughman, E. Harget, J. Currens, J. Gerrick, G. Crouse, C. Harner*; Second row—*Mrs. Miller, C. Good, H. Bair, E. Feeser. A. Duncan, C. Hockensmith, L. Gage, G. Hankey, E. Humbert, G. Hankey, C. Hall, R. Harner, H. Gerrick, R. Boyd.* Missing from picture—*Mary Ann Busby, Leah Crebs, Norma Ecker.*

FRESHMAN CLASS HISTORY

On a bright autumn morning in 1946 designated by the calendar as September 3, sixty-seven young and intelligent looking creatures strolled up the steps of L. H. S. and got their first idea of what high school life was going to be like for the next four (?) years. Of course, there were those embarrassments which come naturally to all "freshies" during the first few days of school such as getting to the wrong classroom, etc., but after several weeks they finally became accustomed to the new environment.

Instead of an initiation, a "tug-of-war" between the freshmen and sophomores was staged soon after the school term started with the first year students winning and being treated to an ice cream party by the losers.

As "freshies", we were always seen as well as heard. Many of the members of the class were active in the extra-curricular activities of the school, some participating in the various sports, the Band, High School Play, and High School Operetta.

FRESHMAN CLASS HISTORY— (Continued)

On April 18, members of the class enjoyed a trip to Harrisburg, our state capital, which was a project in Pennsylvania History Class. As the term nears an end members of the group are looking forward to the school picnic and then to the time when we again enter the corridors of L. H. S. next fall no longer as freshmen but as sophomores.

Richard E. Wolfe, Historian.

FRESHMAN CLASS OFFICERS

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Gloria Warner	*Vice President*
Robert Harner	*Secretary*
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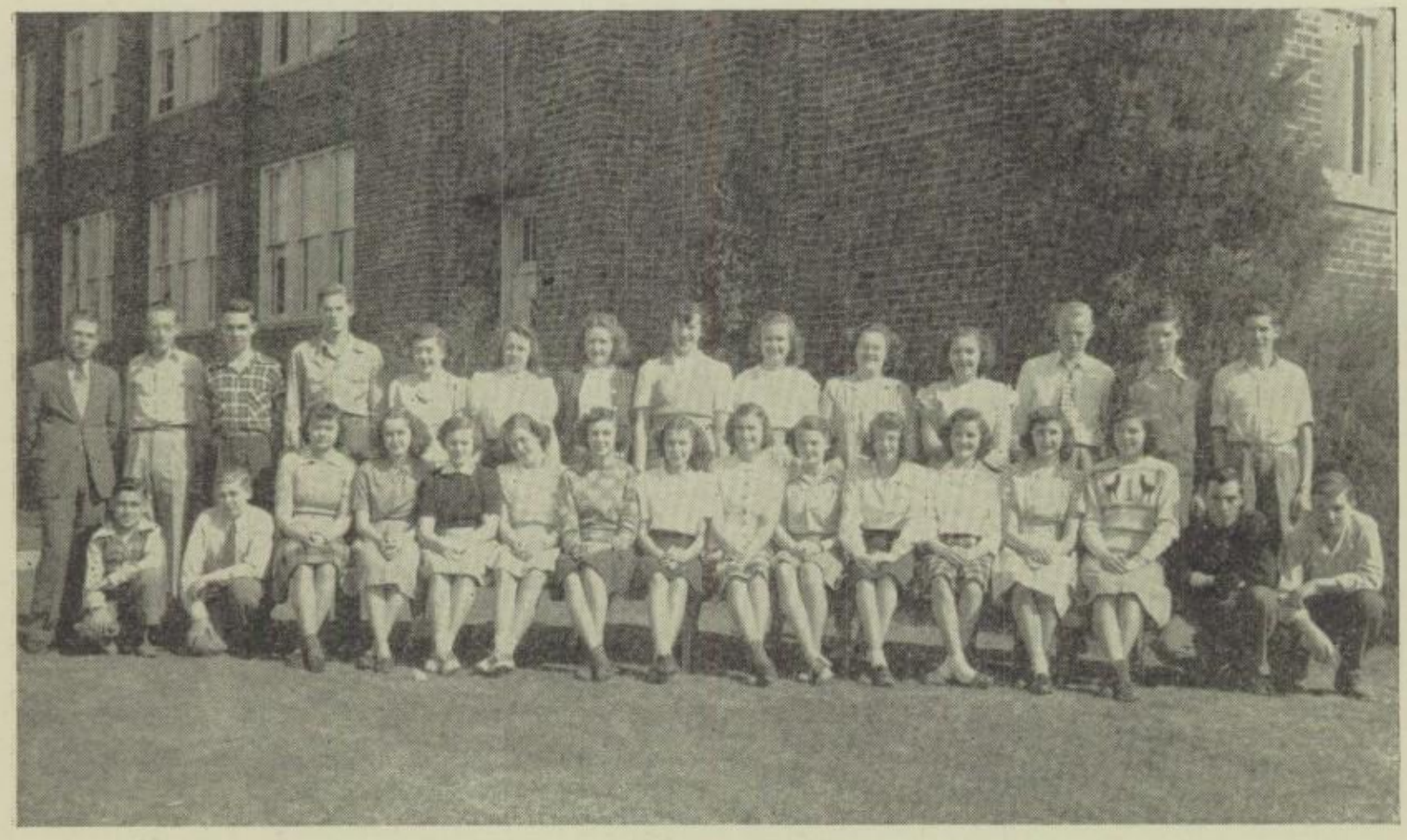
Kenneth Rice	*Class Representative*
Bernice Plunkert	*Class Representative*



Front row (left to right)—*R. Wolfe, E. Kline, B. King, L. Waltman, M. Renner, P. Lippy, J. Wolfe, R. Staub, J. Miller, J. Kerns, J. Miller, B. Plunkert. E. Yealy, G. Warner, R. Weaver, L. Kerns*; Second row—*Mr. Evans, G. Wildasin, K. Rice, J. Snyder, T. Krumrine, D. Woolf, S. Weikert, S. Shildt, J. Stair, A. Reaver, C. Yingling, J. Miller, P. Kump. R, Snyder.* Missing from picture—*Pauline Bream, Gladys Messinger, Zelda Yingling.*

ACTIVITIES

ATHLETICS

DRAMATICS

MUSIC

ATHLETIC ASSOCIATION

This year the Monogram Club was replaced by the Athletic Association. The organization started at a preliminary meeting at which an executive council composed of Albert Bair and Shirley Spangler, seniors; Treva Bowers, junior; Richard Mehring, sophomore; and Everett Feeser, freshman was chosen. This group then drew up a constitution. At a second meeting the organization was completed, the constitution adopted, and officers consisting of Robert Scholl, president; Charles Hall, vice president; Oneida Snyder, secretary and James Myers, treasurer, were elected.

The main purpose of this organization is to promote and continue good sportsmanship, to give athletic awards, to help regulate school sports, and other things for the good of athletics. The association depends on the students for its existence and here's hoping all will continue to support it in years to come.

SPRING SPORTS

BASEBALL

L. H. S. was again a member of the Adams Counnty Interscholastic Baseball League this year. There were eight teams in the organization consisting of Littlestown, New Oxford, East Berlin, York Springs, Boiling Springs, Arendtsville, Biglerville, and Fairfield. Last year the Thunderbolts were co-champions with Biglerville. This season the team was handicapped because of few experienced players and a new diamond, but they did fine work and played a fine brand of ball. Mr. Clayton Evans was the man, too, for the diamond crew this year and he showed fine coaching during the spring season. The seniors on the team were: Carroll Reed, Charles Hall, Clarence Schwartz, Earl Rebert, Robert Scholl, and Albert Bair, manager.

SOFTBALL

For the second consecutive year the girls have had a spring sport, softball. They had a very successful season last year when they won all their games. Again this year there was just as much interest and many girls participated and, though no trophy was at stake, Miss Mellott's squad played hard against their opposing teams. The girls belonged to no league but played other schools of the county — Biglerville and New Oxford.

Front row (left to right)—*G. Bair, R. King, A. Bair, captain, C. Hall, E. Rebert*; second row—*C. Reed, K. Boyd, W. Sentz, R. Little, R. Scholl*; back row—*C. Evans, coach, C. Schwartz, T. Wilt, J. Miller, W. Mayers, manager.*

SOCCER

This year soccer was again added to our sports program. With Mr. Evans as coach the Thunderbolts won the County Soccer League Championship. They encountered stiff opposition but weathered the storm and were victorious in six games, while tieing one and losing a game to the East Berlin booters. The boys showed real skill regardless of the fact that none had ever played soccer before. The trophy which was won represents hard play and good sportsmanship.

Seasons' Scores

L. H. S.		Opp.
2	Arendtsville	0
2	East Berlin	1
3	New Oxford	0
3	Fairfield	2
1	Arendtsville	0
0	East Berlin	1
4	New Oxford	2
2	Fairfield	2
17	Totals	8

BOYS' BASKETBALL

Front row (left to right)—*R. Scholl, captain, C. Reed, R. King, G. Harner, G. Bair,* back row—*C. Evans, coach, K. Boyd, C. Schwartz, captain, W. Sentz, R. Little, J. Miller, E. Rebert, manager.*

The boys' basketball team this school term consisted of an inexperienced group of cagers which was molded into a fine working team by the able and constant coaching of "Clat" Evans. Although the Thunderbolts didn't live up to their name at times and lacked some of their thunder they finished the season with a .636 average. Any team that bucked up against our boys knew they had a battle on their hands for they fought hard to give their Alma Mater a victory in every game and never once did they stop fighting even when the "chips" were down. So here's saying "Nice going fellows for a job in which you did your best."

L. H. S.		OPP.	L. H. S.		OPP.
32	Alumni	31	28	Westminster	37
50	Quincy Orphanage	19	42	Fairfield	35
22	Fairfield	25	41	East Berlin	36
38	East Berlin	30	31	Biglerville	38
28	Biglerville	23	43	New Oxford	39
50	New Oxford	24	32	Arendtsville	47
33	Arendtsville	42	27	Boiling Springs	33
19	Boiling Springs	32	52	York Springs	22
38	Westminster	27	——		——
48	York Springs	20	654	Totals	560

GIRLS' BASKETBALL

This year the girls' team was composed of many girls, which contained the "first six" of last year's group. Coached by Mr. Evans the girls won ten, lost six, and tied two games. The Littlestown lassies proved more than once to be one of the best coached teams in the league judged by their precision plays and the smoothness with which they preformed. Sometimes they seemed to lack consistency in their superb playing, but this was supplemented by true sportmanships in victory and defeat. The team was a worthy representative of L. H. S. sports and was a real credit to the school.

L. H. S.		OPP	L. H. S.		OPP.
24	Alumni	15	13	Westminster	20
44	Fairfield	15	33	Fairfield	16
23	Biglerville	26	28	East Berlin	20
27	East Berlin	27	24	Biglerville	27
39	New Oxford	25	56	New Oxford	25
25	Arendtsville	44	15	Arendtsville	27
38	Boiling Springs	23	34	Boiling Springs	22
33	Westminster	41	34	York Springs	23
49	York Springs	38	———		———
			539	Totals	434

Front row (left to right)—*B. Rebert, M. Stavely, E. Anthony, P. Deardorff, E. Lippy*; second row—*S. Hawk, J. Wehler, M. Plunkert, A. Feeser, E. Koontz*; back row—*C. Evans (coach), T. Bowers, co-captain, M. Crouse, J. Yealy, S. Spangler, captain, M. Bankert, C. Hofe; C. Motter, manager.*

JUNIOR VARSITY BASKETBALL

This years' J V teams were composed almost entirely of freshmen with a few sophomores. Although the Little Flashes didn't score a victory in five contests they did show talent and a desire to win. L. H. S. can look forward to good teams in the future if the games played this year are a preview of what is in store for the future. Good luck.

Girls			*Boys*		
L. H. S.		OPP.	L. H. S.		OPP.
20	East Berlin	27	6	Quincy Orphanage	22
17	East Berlin	25	13	East Berlin	40
—		—	20	East Berlin	28
37	Totals	52	—		—
			39	Totals	90

INTRAMURAL BASKETBALL

Girls		*Boys*	
Juniors	18	Sophomores	11
Seniors	11	Seniors	10
Sophomores	16	Freshmen	25
Freshmen	15	Juniors	15
*Juniors	16	*Freshmen	21
Sophomores	14	Sophomores	19

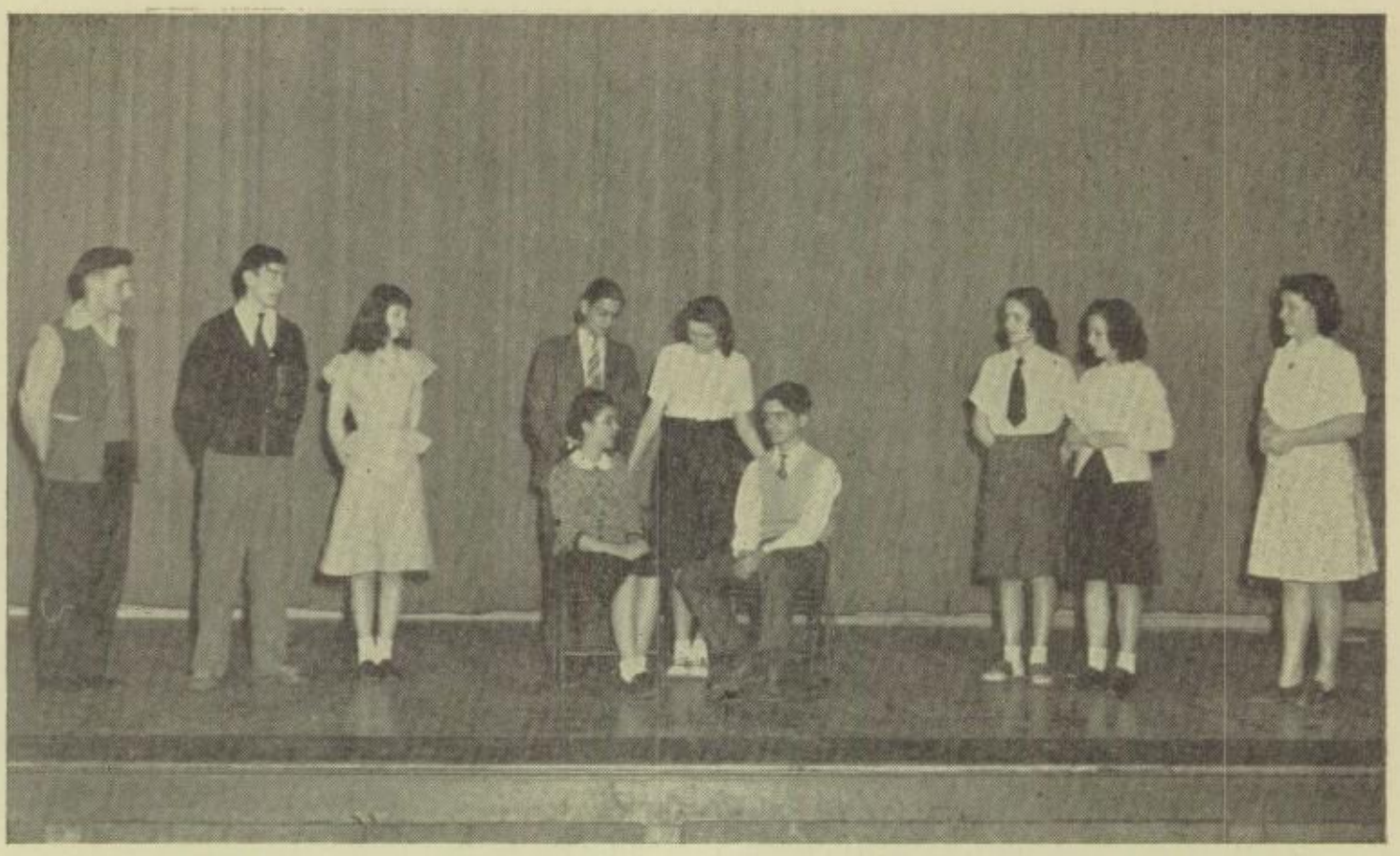
*Denotes playoff champion

Front row (left to right)—*L. Staub, M. Plunkert, S. Spangler, O. Snyder, M. Bankert, D. Knight*; back row—*R. Scholl, L. Harner, A. Bair, C. Hall.*

SENIOR PLAY

One of the big events for the Seniors was the annual play. The class went "all out" to make the "Bogeyman" a big success. A capacity audience, one of the largest on record at L. H. S., enjoyed this production on December sixth.

The action of the play was centered around an old mansion on the Dixon College campus. The old building was inherited by young Ez Dixon who lived there with his collegemate, Lanny Harper. The colored man "Charlie" added color and humor to the plot. The Sigma Gamma sorority stirred up the trouble and Professor Smith provided the clue to the mystery. The class did a fine job on their production and received many compliments on one of their final performances in "Bogeyman."



Seated left to right—*L. Myers, P. Bowers*; standing—*H. Boyd, R. King, E. Lippy, H. Hockensmith, B. Walker, D. Dayhoff, D. Renner, B. Good.*

THE JUNIOR PLAY

The Junior Class presented "Crack Up," a romantic drama, on March 21. The characters were excellently portrayed by a fine cast shown on the accompanying picture.

The story of the play was primarily that of a girl who was crippled on her wedding day and became quite bitter over her misfortune but with the help of an injured guest she found happiness and hope again. The subplot is centered around a boy who has a continuous downfall but regenerates heroically to save one he loves.

Seated (left to right)—*D. Dayhoff, J. Baughman, B. Walker, H. Hockensmith*; standing—*C. Hall, D. Knight, R. Little, J. Motter, J. Bowers, J. Miller, O. Snyder, R. King.*

HIGH SCHOOL PLAY

"Crazy House," the dramatic production for this year, was the story of a modernistic family who expressed themselves in different ways with the following characters: Brenda Walker as Mrs. Beldrinker was writing an opera without words and music and screamed, (to her it was singing) throughout the play; Jackie Baughman, See Beldinker, went through three acts hitting people on the toes with a hammer; Robert King, Aay Beldinker, was a healthy-body lover and spent the time riding a bicycle; Jane Bowers, Bee Beldinker, painted modern pictures which meant something and showed nothing; Dolores Dayhoff, Mrs. Dimity, entered all the prize winning contests advertised on the radio; Harold Hockensmith, Mr. Beldinker, played a Casper Milquetoast part. Other parts were played by Dorothy Knight, Jack Miller, Oneida Snyder, and Richard Little. It was directed by Mrs. Wingert. The setting began with an elaborate living room and ended with only the grand piano on stage. The characters were very ably protrayed and the production was excellent.

Seated (left to right)—*D. Renner, E. Lippy, R. Myers, L. Dodrer, M. Stonesifer, C. Hofe, S. Spangler, M. Bankert, M. Crouse, S. Mackley, B. Walker*; standing:—*J. Bowers, A. Stock, M. Stavely, Mr. Stavely, S. Hawk, A. Bish, R. Mehring, J. Wehler.*

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SCHOOL BAND

If, during the year, anyone peeked through the auditorium doors the first period on Wednesday and Friday mornings they could see the school band busily engaged in practice. The organization has forty-six members and is led by Mr. Paul Harner. This year has been one of its best, with a full and varied schedule and it has participated in the Adams County Music Festival, Forensic Contest, Littlestown High's Spring Concert and assembly programs. When in full dress the band is a splendid sight to see with the boys in blue and gold coats, blue overseas caps, and white trousers, and the girls in blue and gold coats, blue overseas caps, and white skirts. The majorette is a perk little red head who does a fine job twirling her baton to the band's music. It will not be disbanded this summer and a number of engagements have already been booked.

THE GLEE CLUB

If you have ever ventured near the auditorium on a Thursday afternoon first period, you could have heard the Glee Club vocalizing under the direction of Miss Ruth Martin. This year the group was quite large and very active. There were ninety-five members with thirty-seven seniors, twenty-four juniors and thirty-four sophomores. These have participated in the Christmas program at which the senior soloist, Hylda Klinefelter, sang the "Cantique de Noel."

A group from the chorus was selected to sing at the Adams County Music Festival held at the Eddie Plank Gym on the Gettysburg College Campus. The following seniors were among that group—Marion Bankert, Arveta Feeser, Jacqueline Hockensmith, Hylda Klinefelter, Oneida Snyder, Shirley Spangler, Mary Crouse, Charlotte Motter, Louise Dodrer, Louise Staub, Jean Yealy, Robert Scholl, Albert Bair, Charles Hall, Clarence Schwartz, Herbert Sell, Earl Rebert, and James Wehler.

Hylda Klinefelter was selected to attend District Chorus held at Wm. Penn Senior High, Harrisburg.

All members helped to make a success of the spring concert.

Left to right—*J. Yealy, A. Feeser, C. Schwartz, L. Myers, R. King, A. Bair, R. Scholl, K. Boyd, H. Sell, R. Little, R. Mehring, B. Walker, H. Klinefelter, G. Harner, S. Hawk* (seated), *M. Bankert, Miss Martin,* director.

OPERETTA

This year's operetta, "The Lucky Jade," was presented to a packed house of spectators who enjoyed the production. It was the only one given during the past three years which had a modern setting.

The curtain opened on a lawn scene in front of an old southern mansion in Virginia. On stage was found Mrs. Courtney, the lady of the household, Brenda Walker; Downs, the caretaker, Robert King; Mammy Liza, Jean Yealy; Nancy and Jeanne, friends of Mary Ann, Hylda Klinefelter and Arveta Feeser; and Herbert, Herbert Sell; Bill, Richard Little, Ted, Richard Mehring; boys home from college.

The steamer was supposedly seen coming up the river, bringing home from New York Mr. Courtney, a sheltered husband, George Harner; Mary Ann Courtney, daughter of the plantation, Marion Bankert; Horace Ferguson, a city slicker, Robert Scholl; and Fanchon, Mary Ann's French maid, Lorraine Myers. The scene was put in an uproar with the arrival of Col. Waverly, Clarence Schwartz, and his nephew John Endicott, Albert Bair, a bashful aviator who was in love with Mary Ann. Last to appear on the stage was the Sheriff, Kenneth Boyd, who keeps popping in and out during the performance. The whole operetta was based on the stealing and regaining of the jade ear of a voo-doo idol which was in Liza's possession.

THE ORCHESTRA

With these words, "All right, let's go," Miss Martin brought the orchestra to attention. Though not having many engagements, the orchestra members have tried to give their best when called upon during the year. Seniors in the group were Josephine Lippy, Marion Bankert, Shirley Spangler, Jacqueline Hockensmith, Clarence Schwartz, Herbert Sell, Carroll Reed and Kay Crouse.

SCHOOL CLUBS

The clubs have been in full swing for the second consecutive year and each student was required to become a member of one of the organizations. Clubs offered on the extra-curricular program were Shop for Girls, Athletic, Dramatic, Home Ec. for Boys, Twirling, Library, Camera, Chess and Checkers and Typing.

FORENSIC CONTEST

The month of March was spent in diligent practice by many students for the Adams County Music and Forensic Contest held at Littlestown High this year. L. H. S. entered quite a few contestants including the High School Band; Boys' Quartet—Albert Bair, Robert Scholl, Clarence Schwartz, Richard Little; Girls' Trio—Marion Bankert, Hylda Klinefelter, Jean Yealy; Baritone Solo—Clarence Schwartz; Soprano Solo—Hylda Klinefelter. Those who won, Clarence Schwartz and Hylda Klinefelter, were then eligible to enter the District Contest held at Hershey High School. Also the following having no County competition entered the District Contest: Piano Solo—Herbert Sell; Tenor Saxophone Solo—Glenn Bair; Baton Twirling—Charlotte Motter. They, however, failed to win first place but all ranked high. Glenn Bair, having no district competition, entered the State Contest where students from all Pennsylvania competed for the State championship in the various fields of music.

1. *Coach Bair*
2. *Junior Play*
3. *The "Count"*
4. *Who's your partner, Dot?*
5. *Lorky, Mac, and Polly*
6. *Our prom*
7. *Noon time "gab" session*
8. *Casey at the Bat*
9. *Frederick Street gang*
10. *Happy Birthday to you*
11. *Seniors' redhead*
12. *Two guys and a gal*
13. *Viewing the soccer game*
14. *Who's winning?*
15. *Class beauties*
16. *Big Three in P. O. D.*
17. *Popular, isn't he?*
18. *"Big Wheels"*

SCHOOL CALENDAR 1946-1947

Sept. 3—School opens.
Sept. 25—Classes elect officers.
Oct. 2—Student Committee Organizes.
Oct. 9—Columbus Day and Fire Prevention program.
Oct. 24-25—Teachers Institute—two day vacation.
Oct. 28—Joseph Ellis, Adventurer and Traveler.
Nov. 13—Armistice Day program.
Nov. 18—Kurt Singer, Foreign Correspondent.
Nov. 20—Juniors receive class rings.
Nov. 21-22—Thanksgiving vacation.
Nov. 27—School Press Conference held at Mt. Rose Junior High, York, Pa.
Dec. 6—Senior Play, "Bogeyman"
Dec. 11—Basketball program.
Dec. 18—Christmas assembly.
Dec. 19—Christmas program, 7:45 P. M.
Dec. 20—Alumni Basketball Game.
Dec. 24—Christmas caroling, 5 A. M.
Dec. 24—Christmas class parties.
Dec. 25 *to Jan.* 2—Christmas vacation.
Jan. 10—Basketball, Fairfield at home.
Jan. 15—School Forum.
Jan. 17—Basketball, Biglerville at home.
Jan. 23—Ritz Trumpeteers, musical program.
Jan. 24—Basketball, Arendtsville at home.
Jan. 29—Wesley Flanery, Aeronautics.
Jan. 31—High School Play, "Crazy House."
Feb. 8—Esther Hankey wins second place in State Pie Baking Contest.
Feb. 18—Basketball, East Berlin at home.
Feb. 28—Science Demonstration.
Mar. 4—Basketball, Boiling Springs at home.
Mar. 6—Elmer Marshal, Impersonator.
Mar. 12—Basketball, New Oxford at home.
Mar. 13—Career Conference, Gettysburg College.
Mar. 18—County Forensic Contest at L.H.S.
Mar. 20—Adams County Music Festival, Gettysburg College.
Mar. 21—Junior Play, "Crack-Up."
Mar. 28—Fashion Show.
Apr. 3—Easter program.
Apr. 4 *to* 8—Easter Vacation.
Apr. 9—Edward Rowlands, Autograph Collector.
Apr. 11—High School Operetta, "The Lucky Jade."
Apr. 16—Junior Class program.
Apr. 18—Freshman trip to Harrisburg.
Apr. 23—Sophomore Class program.
Apr. 30—Freshman Class program.
May 7—Senior Class program.
May 9—Band Concert.
May 14—Warren Lee Terry.
May 14-15—Senior trip to Washington.
May 25—Baccalaureate Service.
May 27—School Picnic.
May 27—Commencement, 8:30 P. M.
May 28—School closes.

Mr. Mayers.

The first to come, the last to go, our warm friend, the janitor.

CLIMB EVER

Oh pause not then—nor falter,
For Fate is in your hand;
Climb—ever—onward, upward,
To where your feet would stand.
The rocks are rough and rugged
But victory is sublime,
Step bravely, boldly forward,
And climb, and climb, and climb

—Painton